

# CONGRESS IS OPENED IN NEAR RIOT

RUN SOLDIERS AND WORKERS COUNCILS START CONVENTION.

## A SPARTACUS MINORITY

Liebknecht And Rosa Luxemburg Are In Lead of the Ultra Radicals. Elections Are Being Held.

Throughout Germany.

BERLIN, DEC. 17.—THE CENTRAL CONGRESS OF DELEGATES FROM SOLDIERS AND WORKMEN'S COUNCILS FROM MANY PARTS OF GERMANY OPENED ON MONDAY IN THE BUILDING FORMERLY USED BY THE PRUSSIAN DICTATE. THERE WERE THREE WOMEN AMONG THE 450 DELEGATES.

DURING THE ORGANIZATION OF THE CONGRESS IT BECAME APPARENT THAT THE INDEPENDENT SOCIALISTS AND THE SPARTACUS GROUP WERE GREATLY OUTNUMBERED.

The Spartacus Group.

The Spartacus group made a futile attempt to intimate the congress. Early in the session a resolution was submitted by Dr. Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg leaders of the Spartacus group to be invited to attend the congress as guests with advisory powers. Less than 15 per cent of the delegates voted for the resolution.

Causes Uproar.

Presentation of the resolution called a great tumult throughout the hall. The followers of Dr. Liebknecht and spectators in the galleries joined in the uproar, which lasted 30 minutes and threatened to result in various fist fights.

Contest Tuesday.

A contest is expected today when the question of summoning a national assembly comes up for discussion. Later while Herr Müller, chairman of the workers' section of the executive committee, was addressing the chairman of the congress, interrupted to say there is a comrade present who wishes to submit a communication.

Claims Workmen.

The newcomer announced that he represented 25,000 workmen who were then assembled outside the diet building. He read a list of demands identical with the Spartacus program including recognition of the soldiers' and workmen's councils, no national assembly and the formation of a red guard. This aroused a storm of protest and in the general uproar the intruder left the chamber.

Liebknecht Follows.

The 250,000 workmen, who he said, were outside the building, forced to be admitted to the hall, a favorite when the Liebknecht agents had intended to go on strike temporarily. In the meantime, Dr. Liebknecht succeeded in entering the building and made a speech to the crowd from a window.

Müller's Statement.

Copenhagen, Dec. 17.—Herr Müller, in presenting the report of the executive committee to the national assembly, said that the Spartacus program, according to a report from Berlin, announced that Carl Kautsky had examined the documents in the German foreign offices and had been unable to find that any had been destroyed. He confirmed the report that the resignation of Dr. Sofi, the foreign minister, had been accepted by the government.

Parade Streets.

Berlin, Dec. 17.—Several hundred boys and girls paraded through the streets of the city Monday to the Reichstag building where the soldiers and workmen's congress is being held. They demanded votes for persons 18 years of age, the abolition of corporal punishment in schools and the participation of the government in the administration of the government and schools. The marchers carried red flags and incendiary placards.

## PROMPT PASSAGE OF WAR REVENUE BILL URGED IN SENATE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Dec. 17.—Prompt passage of the war revenue bill was urged in the senate today by Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania.

Senator Penrose gave his views when the senate reached the income tax section which provided for reduction of rates in 1920. Chairman Simmons had formally announced that every effort would be made to reach a final vote on the measure before the holidays. Senator La Follette gave notice that he would offer a substitute for, or move for re-consideration of, the income tax section.

Senator Penrose urged early passage with a view to revision later. He favored abolishing war excess profits taxes and substitution of a new system of flat income taxes.

"It is because the bill is essentially a war measure," he said, "and is willing to support an although dissenting in the social 1918 provisions. It has received more careful thought by far than any previous internal revenue measure in this country. It is more clearly and consistently drafted and supplied with wiser administrative provisions than any other measure."

Urge Passage.

"I cannot discuss the fact that I feel anxious as to the effect upon the public of the attempt to apply such higher rates of income and profits taxes as are provided. I am also convinced that the great body of intelligent and patriotic business men and taxpayers throughout the land are willing to accept these rates and deserve the measure passed."

"Undoubtedly many defects will have to be provided for by remedial legislation in the future."

The bill's rates, Senator Penrose said, is it is possible now to forecast the government's needs and industrial conditions in 1920, and determined that the sum of money to be spent on the war will be twenty-two per cent over taxes and France only four per cent, he added.

"It is evident, therefore, that the proportion of taxes in relation to loans in the United States is over one-third greater as compared with England, and over twice as large as compared with France."

## THIRTEEN DIED IN TOURIST COACH FIRE ON CANADIAN ROAD

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Winnipeg, Dec. 17.—Advices received here today tell of the destruction by fire of a tourist coach on a Canadian-Pacific train which left here at 9:10 p.m. for Toronto, and say that thirteen passengers aboard the coach are missing. The fire, it was indicated, started in a berth occupied by a family party and quickly spread to the rest of the coach.

Other passengers on the train escaped unharmed.

## Untermeyer Appears Before Committee

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Dec. 17.—Samuel Untermeyer of New York whose name has been mentioned in the investigation of German propaganda, appeared today before the senate investigating committee to answer what he described as innuendoes and implications which made it appear that previous to March 1918, his sympathies were pro-German.

Mr. Untermeyer declared that he had declined after being solicited to act as counsel for the German embassy.

"It was, of course, always solicitous as were all of us," he said. "That a conflict be avoided and tried to do my humble part. My frequent meetings toward preserving the peace, and members of the German embassy told me that our hands were not clean in dealing with them, although I always insisted with them and they knew that I felt deeply that they were in the wrong."

"There is not a shred of basis for these vague implications."

## Dispatches Assert That Revolution Has Broken Out in Bulgaria

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Berlin, Dec. 17.—A revolution has broken out in Bulgaria, according to information received by the Lokal Anzeiger from Bulgaria by way of Hungary.

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## FRENCH FRONTIER ILLUMINATED BY BIG FIRES HONORING WILSON

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Geneva, Monday, Dec. 16.—The frontier of French Savoy bordering on Switzerland, was illuminated with great bonfires last night in honor of President Wilson. A report like Eva-les-Bains, there was dancing on a large scale for the first time since the beginning of the war.

## SMITH RUNS THREE TO ONE OVER WHITMAN

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Dec. 17.—Governor-elect Smith was running ahead of Governor Whitman by more than 3 to 1 in the early stages of the count of soldiers and sailors votes in the November election begun here today.

The vote generally proved to be

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## SNOW STORMS ARE SWEEPING THE WEST

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Denver, Dec. 17.—Heavy snow storms in New Mexico and Colorado today seriously interfered with wire communication, telegraph and telephone lines are down near Socorro, New Mexico. Communication between Denver and El Paso, Texas. The heaviest snow of the winter was falling in Denver.

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## RECORD FLIGHT MADE BY A MAIL AVIATOR

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Dec. 17.—Ira Biffle, mail flyer, reported today that he made the trip from New York to Washington yesterday in an hour and forty minutes, including a ten-minute stop at Philadelphia. He passed through snow and sleet storms and at 8,000 feet struck a temperature of seven degrees.

Mail Planes.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 17.—The two mail planes which will begin a regular service tomorrow morning, Cleveland and Chicago, arrived here today.

Army Air Activities.

Dexter, Mo., Dec. 17.—Three army airplanes with six aviators flying from Houston, Texas, to Detroit, arrived here at 11:30 a.m. all in good condition.

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## 2000 Indians Die

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 17.—Two thousand Navajo Indians at Fort Defiance have died from influenza, according to F. Robins, chief clerk of the Navajo agency.

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[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Brussels, Dec. 17.—The Belgian government announces that its delegation to the peace congress will be composed of Paul Hymans, minister of foreign affairs and former minister in London; Emile Vandervelde, minister of justice and socialist leader; and Baron Van Den Heuvel, Belgian minister at the Vatican and former minister of justice.

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## PIPER CONTINUES TO TELL WEIRD STORIES

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Muskegon, Mich., Dec. 17.—Three mysterious figures injected into the case of Milo H. Piper, insurance man accused of having killed Miss Frieda Weichman, Chicago bookkeeper, were being sought by the local police today. According to the police, the three were here from Hamilton, Ontario, to face the murder charge, any one of these three persons whom he named as "Jack Goldberg," "John Sheldon" and "Edward Benten." Piper can substantiate his story that Sheldon used the name of "M. H. Piper" in marrying Miss Weichman at Rensselaer, Indiana, in March 1916.

Chief interest of the authorities to date centers in "Goldberg," whose name Piper brought into the case late yesterday. A telegram dated Chicago and bearing the signature "Jack Goldberg" is understood to be in the possession of Sheriff Carl Stauffer of Muskegon county. The sheriff refused, however, to divulge its contents.

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## RED CROSS DRIVE ESTIMATES SHOW 6,000 ENROLLMENT

CASH FOR 2,842 MEMBERSHIPS HAS BEEN TURNED IN AT THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

### REPORTS INCOMPLETE

Chairman Richardson Declares Janesville Will Report 9,000 in Christmas Roll Call.

Figures on the Red Cross Christmas roll call, compiled this noon at the Chamber of Commerce, show that Janesville is responding readily to the appeal for a universal membership.

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When Polish patrols entered the Lemberg ghetto they were fired upon through windows and hot water was poured upon them.

"At the beginning of the trouble the forces of Polish regular troops in Lemberg were unable to cope with the situation, but when reinforced restored order and placed in jail 1,500 persons, many of whom were Ukrainian soldiers."

Now, according to the American Socialist, a leader of the Jewish nationalist party, said to the correspondents:

"Many Have Not Reported."

Many of these workers have not reported and it is expected that for Wednesday noon the total will mount considerably over 7,000. Official reports from all those engaged in the campaign indicate 100 per cent quota will be reached.

"In view of the opinion that Janesville will send 9,000 memberships to the national organization at the conclusion of the campaign," said Victor P. Richardson, general chairman of the committee. "The response has been splendid. The workers are meeting with the greatest encouragement and are bending every effort to finish up the work without delay."

Women Given Praise.

"Great credit must be given the women who are making the house to house canvass. Since the start yesterday morning they have been on the job during the daylight hours and have thoroughly solicited their section."

"The business houses have put their energy into the campaign. It is a great source of satisfaction to the committee to see the number of one hundred per cent banners in the windows."

"The factories also are responding with a spirit which assures a most successful campaign."

Mr. Richardson sent his first report to John W. Maple, Milwaukee, assistant director for Wisconsin, and received reply in which Janesville was complimented on the great showing being made.

Booths Garner Share.

One of the surprises of the campaign is the number of memberships which are being received at the booths in stores, banks and public buildings. With the city so thoroughly organized and the campaign so intensely waged it was at first felt that few enrollments would be made in the booths, but the women in charge of them have been on the job and their showing is exceptionally pleasing to the committee.

J. R. Jensen, chairman of the county workers, had received meager reports up to noon today, but those who had called up on the telephone indicated that the district outside of the city was keeping pace with the progress made in Janesville.

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## PARENTS ANXIOUS FOR YOUTH WHO LEFT HOME

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Sheba Goodman Missing From Home Since Saturday. Believed To Have Went To Chicago.

Police officers in all of the surrounding cities including Chicago and Milwaukee are searching for Sheba Goodman son of Solomon Goodman, 23 South Bluff street this city.

Young Goodman was last seen Saturday afternoon and has failed to return. His parents have become real anxious over his safety and have asked the assistance of the police of the surrounding cities.

The young lad is fourteen years of age, dark complexion and wears a dark blue suit when he left home. In his school books was found a paper on which he had been figuring the cost of railroad fares to Chicago and the cost of securing lodgings in that city.

His parents are of the opinion that the lad went to Chicago with the purpose of securing employment in that city.

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## SIX HUNDRED WAIT TO SECURE PACKAGES

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Denver, Colo., Dec. 17.—Six hundred persons were standing in line in a heavy snow storm this morning when the American Railway Express Company opened its doors to deliver liquor packages received before midnight last night, at which hour the "bone dry" law went into effect. Leslie Hubbard, attorney general of Colorado, and the company officials he would take action today to prevent further deliveries.

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## AUSTRIAN MONARCHISTS SELECT MAXIMILIANS AS ROYAL LEADER

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Copenhagen, Dec. 17.—At a monarchistic meeting in Vienna yesterday, which was attended by a number of generals, Archduke Maximilian, brother of former Emperor Charles, was nominated as the successor to the crown, a Socialist dispatch from Vienna adds. to the monarchists.

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## POLAND APPARENTLY WISHES FOR PEACE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Paris, Dec. 17.—In discussing the relations between Poland and Germany, the Petit Journal foresees an alliance in the near future of the Polish government with the democratic party of Rosen (German Poland). The Polish government, the newspaper says, is preparing to adhere completely to the entente allies.

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# Special Big Bargains in Women's Shoes

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James Cantwell Convicted Of Theft  
May Have To Answer Additional  
Charge of Stealing Money.

250 pairs of high grade perfect shoes, all sizes and widths, arranged in two lots \$1.95 and \$2.45 a pair.

These shoes have been selling regularly at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00, and you cannot save money any easier than to get yourself now a pair or two for extra wear and fine foot comfort.

**D. J. LUBY & CO.**

We are in the market for all kinds of hides, especially furs and we are paying the highest market prices. Give us a trial and you will find out we are reliable and you are sure to be glad to do business with us. We are also in the market for all kinds of junk and are paying the best market prices.

**S. W. ROTSTEIN IRON CO.**  
Both Phones

60 S. River St. JANESEVILLE, WIS.

**NOTICE!**

J. R. Hinman, who is now located in JANESEVILLE and is a citizen of Mr. Pack's and is now in the field of piano tuning can be reached by either phone or by leaving orders at H. F. Nott's Music Store.

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**PAYS A TRIBUTE TO  
HIRSHEL G. FISHER**

In a letter from E. C. Kenkel, mayor of Savage, Minn., to the Gazette, the following tribute is paid to the memory of the late Hirschel Fisher, son of Mr. Emma Fisher of this city who passed away recently in that city. The letter says:

"It is with deepest sorrow that we report the death of Hirschel G. Fisher, and when the news spread that our kind mother had stepped in and claimed him, a sad gloom spread over our entire village. All medical attention, a kind mother's hand and a loving wife were unable to save him from the dreaded pneumonia, and he passed away December 10th, 1918, at 10:00 a. m. Although Hirschel Fisher had only been a resident of our village for a little over a year, he made many friends, friends who felt his death almost as keen as a brother. His pleasant way, happy smile, and homely wit will be remembered and missed by everyone. During the past summer and fall Hirschel was employed as night watchman and marshal by the village council and filled his position to the entire satisfaction of all. He had a way of handling a man that always won a friend that would not be pardoned and that led to a man in need. In case of sickness he was always the first on hand to lend assistance and it is with regret that owing to the nature of his sickness, it was impossible for friends to be with him. It seems hard to understand why a young man right in the prime of life should be taken away, but there is but one thing to say, 'Thy will be done.' The entire community mourn with the bereaved mother, wife and sisters in their sad loss, and may he rest in peace."

Several to Wed: Licenses to marry were granted to Reuben Leroy Miller and Mabel Estelle, both of Evansville, and to Hiram L. Johnson and Anna M. Henton, both of Beloit. One was also granted to Emil C. Luebke of Milton Junction and Ida M. Stockman of the town of Milton.

**LAURENCE GRIFFIN  
STILL IN HOSPITAL**

Laurence Griffin, who left JANESEVILLE with Company M in 1917 and remained behind the division at Camp Meade, Pa., in the supply department, when that organization left for France, and later crossed the Atlantic and saw some active service, being wounded several months ago, has written his mother that he arrived in this country the latter part of last week on the hospital ship Mercy and is now in the hospital at Burlington, Vermont, excepting some to be discharged and sent home, he hopes before Christmas.

**HELP FOR OPERATING  
CAR WITHOUT CONSENT**

Hugh James of Evansville was arraigned before Judge Maxfield in the municipal court yesterday afternoon to answer a charge of taking the auto of L. J. Hockett of Evansville and operating the same without the owner's consent.

James is a youth of twenty-one years and asserted that he merely took the car for a little ride, not thinking that the owner would object. He entered a plea of guilty to the charge of a violation of state law, was fined until December 23rd, at ten o'clock and he was remanded to the county jail awaiting bail for \$1,000.

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## VICTOR E. HEMMING NAMED CITY CLERK

ELECTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL  
LAST EVENING TO FILL  
UNEXPIRED TERM OF  
JAMES B. WOR-  
THINGTON.

### TO IMPROVE STREETS

Resolution Calling for Better Streets  
In Janesville Introduced by Al-  
derman Pautz Passed by  
Aldermen.

Victor E. Hemming was appointed to fill the unexpired term of city clerk to succeed James B. Worthington by a vote of seven to three over John J. Roher's at the meeting of the city council last evening. He succeeded in getting a one ballot to name the new clerk Mr. Hemming receiving the support of seven aldermen and Mr. Roher being supported by three.

Mr. Hemming will assume his new duties today as Mr. Worthington is confined to the Mercy hospital where he recently underwent an operation.

The council meeting opened at eight o'clock with all the members present. The treasurer, George Muench, acted as city clerk in the absence of Mr. Worthington. The minutes were read and approved.

A report from the chief of the fire department for the quarter was received and accepted. The report stated that the department had responded to one hundred and forty alarms for the past three months exclusive of false alarms of which there were between thirty and forty on Peace Day.

Chief Klein reported that the loss from fire for the quarter exceeded that of any previous quarter for some time and that the largest loss resulted from a fire in the Carle Block on December 1st. Mr. Klein estimated the entire loss at \$10,000. He also asked for a loan for two dozen rubber coats and one thousand feet of hand lines.

A claim was presented from the Gund Graham Contracting Company for \$5,041.91 for the paving of Main street. The claim is for the paving between the car tracks which has not been paid by the Janesville Traction company. The claim was referred to the Judiciary committee and Alderman Arthur Jones moved that the claim be disallowed. His motion was carried.

A claim for \$1,000 was filed against the city by C. E. Enslow attorney for Berlin Peterson who was run over by a city team at the Washington school on December 5th and suffered a broken leg and other injuries. The claim was referred to the Judiciary committee. The accident has been resolved at the city hall and Street Commissioner Thomas McCormick states that he has had no team working in the grounds of the Washington school. The matter will be investigated by the City Attorney.

The resignation of James B. Worthington as city clerk was read and accepted. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. Worthington for the faithful manner in which he discharged his duties since assuming the office of city clerk.

Alderman Cronin read the report of the Board of Education and moved that the same be accepted and published. The motion was carried.

Alderman Welsh presented the monthly report of the City Treasurer and moved that the same be accepted and placed on file. The report of the city and salary list were read and approved and a motion made that orders be drawn for the same.

Alderman Roy Horn introduced a resolution that the purchasing committee be empowered to buy to cover rain coats, one thousand feet of hand line and one dozen rubber coats for the fire department. The resolution was adopted. In purchasing the gas masks the fire department will be better equipped to fight fires where the smoke is dense.

Alderman Horn introduced a resolution that a fire hydrant be installed at the corner of South Third and Kingwood streets. The resolution was adopted. Alderman Jones moved that the plumber be on bond of C. E. Cochrane be retained.

Alderman Pautz introduced a resolution providing that the Spanish War Veterans be allowed to have free use of a room in the city hall for the purpose of holding meetings. The resolution was accepted. Alderman Pautz then addressed the council regarding the dental hospital and explained in detail several improvements that would be necessary. The improvements will be made at once.

Alderman Badger moved that two electric lights be installed on South Bluff street between East Milwaukee and Court street. The lights were ordered installed.

A vote was taken called for by Alderman John J. Dulin to name a successor for James B. Worthington. On the first ballot Victor Hemming was elected by a vote of seven to three.

Mayor Valentine, City Treasurer Muench and Alderman Welsh spoke to the council relative to the hiring of a young lady to assist in the city treasurer's office until after the paying period. It was decided to secure the services of Miss Margaret Donahue to assist the city treasurer until March 1st.

Alderman Pautz again introduced his improvement resolution calling for ten blocks of improved streets in each ward for the next ten years providing that not more than \$16,000 be expended in 1918. The resolution called for ten blocks in each ward and Alderman Welsh and Cronin although heartily in favor of the improvement did not favor the idea of improving ten blocks in each ward.

Both of the aldermen addressed the council and spoke of the dire need of good streets in Janesville, but they requested Alderman Pautz to change the resolution to read in place of ten blocks in each ward to read fifty blocks to be decided by the aldermen. The resolution was changed to meet the approval of Alderman Cronin and Welsh and was accepted.

Victor E. Hemming the new city clerk then addressed the council and a short address thanked the gentleman for the position and assured them that he would give them his very best efforts and would work for the interest of Janesville at all times. On motion of Alderman Dulin the council adjourned.

**Cruelty to Actors.**  
"You only applause," quoth a star of the movies, "is the cliché of the camera." Obviously, an instance of cruelty to actors. Invention should come to the rescue and equip every movie studio with an applause machine, consisting of a pair of cast-iron hands and an endless string of percussion caps.—*Film Fun*.

**Opportunity to Be Seized.**  
A porter in London was engaged in cleaning a luggage van, when the door swung back, striking him violently on the head. "Oh! Pat," he exclaimed to an Irishman standing on the platform, "I believe I've cut open my head." "Well, begor, now's the time to get something into it," was Pat's witty reply.

### ROMAN INVASION OF BRITAIN

Good Reasons for Setting August 27 as the Date on Which Julius Caesar Landed on the Island.

The 27th day of August, 55 B. C., upon good grounds, is set down as the day on which Caesar invaded the Island of Britain. It is interesting to learn the method by which a pains-taking and ingenious inquirer determined the date as given—Caesar himself tells that he proceeded on his expedition when little of the summer remained—when the people of the south of Britain were engaged in their harvest—and we learn that he returned before the equinox. Thus, the day must have been in August. He further tells us that the full moon occurred on the fourth day after his landing. The full moon of August in that year, as given by astronomical tables, occurred at 8 a. m. of the 31st. Hence, Caesar landed on the 27th.

It is well known that Caesar met with greater difficulty in landing and making good his first footing on the island than he expected. The southern Britons were a people well advanced in civilization at the time. It was only about a century after this that London, by its present name, was a city crowded with merchants and of world-wide celebrity.

History repeats itself. England, even in those early days when Caesar made war on the Yeniti, to the west of Gaul.

the Britons sent a fleet of ships to their assistance.

### SEIZED CAPE COLONY TWICE

Peace of Amiens Nullified Britain's Capture of Holland's South African Territory in 1795.

Early in the wars of the French Revolution Holland was forced to become an ally of Great Britain. A British fleet appeared off Cape Town in August, 1795, and the colony surrendered on September 16. For seven years Britain held the country, spending fully eight million dollars in improving it. Monopolies were taken off trade, torture was abolished, and prosperity prevailed, whereas before the colony had been on the verge of ruin. In 1802 the Peace of Amiens secured for Napoleon a breathing spell, which he used in preparing still greater attacks upon the liberties of Europe. By this treaty Cape Colony was restored to Holland. War was resumed in 1803, with Holland an ally once more of France. Again the British captured Cape Colony, and when peace was definitely settled in 1815, after Waterloo, Britain retained South Africa, paying Holland six million pounds sterling, the colonies of Demerara, Essequibo and Berbice being included in the sale. The population consisted of 28,700 whites, holding 29,300 slaves, and 17,650 free colored. Britain suppressed the slave trade and in 1834 the

slaves were emancipated by the British government.

**Snaring Snakes.**  
For sheer, downright danger the work of snake catching in the Australian bush compares very favorably with anything one might imagine. It is also an exceedingly profitable method of earning a livelihood—that is, if you survive.

The snakes are collected for the sake of their venom, a substance that, like radium, is valued by the grain, a pound of it being worth about £500. It is in active demand by chemists and is obtained, as far as Australia is concerned, from only three species of snakes—the death adder, the brown adder and the tiger snake.

The reptiles must be caught unjured, and it goes without saying that the business demands considerable skill and agility on the part of those following it.

Tiger snakes are the best, for they carry most venom; and they are still numerous in the more remote parts of the seldom-visited interior.

**Switzerland's Gipsies.**  
Just 500 years ago, writes a correspondent of the Neue Zürcher Zeitung, our forefathers in the city on the Limmat had a new experience. A motley army of people came into Switzerland from the east and camped just outside the walls of Zurich for two weeks. They numbered some 14,000 persons,

men, women and children. These swarthy wayfarers, according to an old chronicle, were commonly known as gipsies or heathens. They said they had been driven out of Egypt. Their clothing was miserable, but they wore many ornaments of gold and silver, maintained perfect order and discipline, and paid punctually for all they ate and drank. After seven years' wanderings they are said to have returned to their original home. This was the first appearance of gipsies in Switzerland.

### Peculiar Beauty Treatment.

A musical-comedy actress, who prides herself on the beauty of her limbs, suspends herself daily from a cord fastened across her room, and suffers a sister professional to work her legs pump-handle for ten or twelve minutes. This treatment is beneficial in several ways, exercising the muscles and imparting strength and hardness both essential to a burlesque dancer. Artists' models undergo similar treatment.

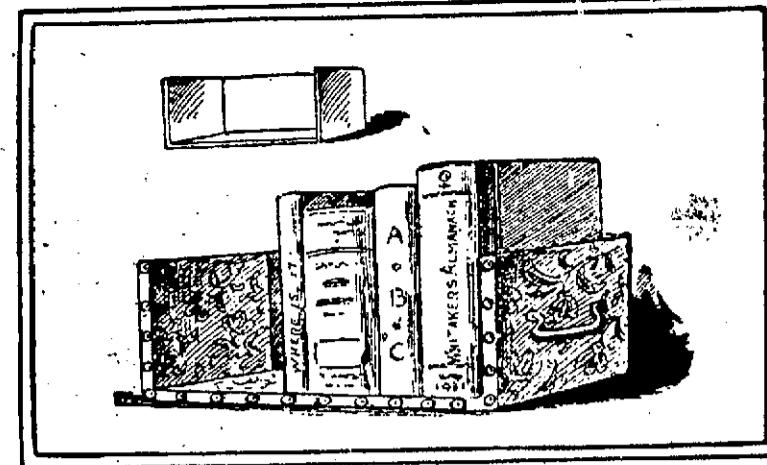
A Parisian beauty specialist achieved

reputation and riches by inventing a round-shoulder cure. Hundreds of afflicted beauties placed themselves under his care, spending hours daily in a prostrate position, and wearing a peculiar backboard with an ingeniously formed neckpiece.—*Exchange*.

**Daily Thought.**

The only cure for grief is action.—George Henry Lewes.

## Table Book Case,



### Prison Pathos.

If you never heard a prisoner say, "I want to go home," there are infinite depths of pathos to which you are a total stranger.—Leavenworth New Era.

### Daily Thought.

The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart—Menelius.

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS

## Put Your Christmas Money into worth-while gift

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS

### A Bank Book for Christmas

A Savings Account opened with One Dollar or more makes a most acceptable

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to children, relatives or friends. We especially solicit small accounts on which we pay 3% interest compounded semi-annually.

### The First National Bank

Established 1855.  
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### Necklaces and La Vallieres

A pretty neck or a stylish gown is never complete without an ornament to set it off.

We have just received a holiday shipment of dainty patterns for evening wear, and a beautiful collection of antique effects made up to copy those of the "Day of Yore."

These are set in Corals, Camas, and fancy stones; they are made to look heavy, but are not so heavy as to be uncomfortable. To be in style you must possess one.

We invite your inspection.

### O. H. OLSON

JEWELER.  
Corner N. Franklin and  
Corn Exchange.

## Helpful Suggestions "You'll Find It Here"

Glance through the following advertisements and it will save you much time and money later on. The suggestions are good ones and the goods offered are of the very best. Shop here! And Shop now! Look for this page on Thursday.

**Only 6 Shopping Days to Xmas**

### Headquarters For Christmas Sweet Meats

What would Christmas be without them?

When giving give the best!

Choice confections in boxes and in bulk. A large stock of Christmas specialties and novelties.

Krissmas Candy for the Candy Kids!

### RAZOOK'S

On Main St.

### Electrical Gift

The Most Wanted and the Most Economical

The best gift of all is the Electrical Gift, and especially this Christmas when useful gifts are most desired.

At this shop you will find just the gift pieces you want for mother, wife, sister or sweethearts that will not only please them but will add to their comfort as well.

An Electrical Gift will last for years, a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness and a delight to the recipient.

Visit our store and pick out the gift you know each one of them likes best or wants most.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT  
AND THE DISPLAY  
COMPLETE

### F. A. Albrecht

The Electric Shop  
East Milwaukee St.

## FORD'S Initial Handkerchiefs 25, 35c.

### Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, For Initialing Irish Linens, 50c, 75c.

### Handkerchiefs in Packages

10c, 15c, 2 for 25c; 3 for 50c; 25c.

## FORD & SON

XMAS BOOSTER SALE, 10% DISCOUNT  
ON MEN'S READY TO WEAR.

We have a complete line at moderate prices.

### Premo Bros.

Sportsmen's Headquarters.  
Hardware, Sporting Goods,  
Locksmiths.

21 No. Main St.

### Xmas Shopping List

#### FOR FATHER—

Columbia Grafonola.

#### FOR MOTHER—

Columbia Grafonola.

Every member of the family will enjoy it. Even your guests will enjoy it with you. Don't be selfish.

Get a gift ALL can enjoy.

A new shipment of Grafonolas received yesterday. New January Records on sale today. We enjoy playing them for you.

### The Music Shop

R. H. MCKENZIE, Mgr.  
52 S. Main St.  
Opp. The Park.  
OPEN EVENINGS.

## For The Entire Family

YOU CAN'T PUT A



in the Christmas stocking—But you can put in the "Bill of Sale." We will deliver the car on Christmas morning.

A Ford Sedan would be a most sensible Xmas gift for the entire family. Give "the folks" the greatest Christmas surprise of their lives.

Order it today—do it at once.

**The price is but \$775, f.o.b. Detroit**

### ROBERT F. BUGGS,

Garage and Salesroom  
Janesville and Milton Jct.

### Let Your Xmas Gifts Be Practical

and What is More Practical Than FOOTWEAR.

Let's Get Acquainted

Maybe you don't know us

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## OUR RETURNED SOLDIERS.

Janesville and Rock county are just as glad to welcome back its soldier boys whether they saw actual service in France or merely were retained in this country for final training. The bible says: "Many are called but few are chosen." This is true of this war. The United States called into service many millions of men and was prepared to call millions more, if the emperor of Germany had not abdicated after Turkey, Bulgaria and Austria (to use a sporting parlance) threw up the sponge. Then came the armistice. It was left to General Foch, commander-in-chief of the allied forces, to dictate that, and he did.

The United States has been in this war less than two years. England, France and Belgium, and even Italy, have suffered longer than this period and we do not count Russia, that began earliest, but whose government was bought by German gold and became a menace rather than an ally in the fight.

General Foch made terms none too harsh for the Huns to swallow. They had made their own terms long enough and every red-blooded American or the flying lime sanctions Foch's terms and hopes they will be enforced to the letter. They know what the Hun really is and not what he is thought to be. Actual contact means a great deal.

However, as these boys come back to Janesville by ones or twos, or by the half score they are welcomed by their friends and relatives, but no public demonstration is made. Not because as a community we do not welcome them, not because we do not value their work, has not been influential to the final peace, final collapse of the German empire, for it was, but simply because it would be one continual demonstration, and it is best to wait until several hundred have returned and then have one grand civic demonstration.

We know our boys who went as Company M are now in the German territory, and it will be months before they return. They were selected because of their ability and their courage and experience as tried and seasoned troops. Of Company L, of 136, half the same can be said of the boys who remain overseas with the 33rd division, made up largely of former 36th division men. They are now in Germany, as are the boys of the 32nd, the Rainbow division. Wisconsin is honored, so let us plan for one celebration which will include all the boys who have returned from all the camps at home or abroad?

## BOOMING GOOD ROADS.

It is predicted by people in touch with highway work, that the close of the war is going to see a nationwide movement for better roads. Pennsylvania recently voted by a four to one majority, for a \$50,000,000 bond issue for roads. Illinois sanctioned a \$60,000,000 issue for the same purpose. Now Minnesota is talking of borrowing \$100,000,000. Wisconsin is not behind and Rock county is ready to do its share.

These sums seem enormous. But we are coming to realize that the old theory whereby a state would set aside a million or so a year for trunk line highways amounted to but little, of course large sums were spent in local taxation. But much of this money was debilitated away in unscientific methods.

We are in the position of a manufacturer who suddenly awakes to the fact that his production is costing him very high, because his appliances are antiquated. Spending a few dollars here and there does not remove the fundamental defects of the machinery.

You can't produce food economically on a farm, the outlet of which is a rough, sandy, muddy, or rutty road. Either the farmer has got to sell that food at an impossibly low figure, or it is going to increase the living cost of it to the consumer to a tremendous degree.

Furthermore good roads help settle the help question. When trucks can make a quick journey with produce to the nearest railroad station, the farm help get back quickly to the farm. A farm in a good roads district can be run on less labor.

Even if all our states should carry out good roads developments on the scale already undertaken by several, it would not spend one per cent of our national wealth. The producer who is not willing to spend one per cent of his capital to secure decent transportation facilities, is too slow for the 20th century. He belongs back in the 18th.

## ARE YOU A MEMBER?

Have you signed your name and paid your dues for the Red Cross membership as yet? If not, why not? There is no cause that is essential to mankind, not only in this country, but the world over. The American Red Cross is recognized wherever the Stars and Stripes fly and it is mighty certain that they will fly from every vessel worth while and in every port for some time to come. Not a country of Europe that has not felt the influences of the Red Cross and does not today long for further aid. Talk to the soldiers returning from Europe who received their first aid in the wonderful hospitals they conducted in France and Belgium. Listen to their story and then be glad to sign up and pay your dollar to be a part of this great work of reconstruction of the world even though we are at peace.

The Geneva Cross stands for something that even the Hun could not dominate. Let him shower his shells upon their structures flying over it, let his missiles drop bombs upon them, still the next train load of wounded Huns or Americans, they received the same treatment. That is Christianity, and that is what the Red



"Shamrock," "Resolute" and Sir Thomas Lipton.

The New York Yacht club is expected to answer soon the challenge just issued by Sir Thomas Lipton to U. S. yachtsmen to defend the America's cup. Lipton sent the challenge through the Royal Ulster Yacht club of England. He plans to use the "Shamrock IV." America will use the "Resolute" if the race is staged. The "Resolute"

Cross stands for. So sign up and demonstrate your sentiment as to the world at large. Be a Red Cross member.

## A LEAGUE OF PEACE.

Some of our statesmen feel that the proposed League to Enforce Peace, or any league of nations, would bind us too closely, and that our voice in such a league might not count more than that of some insignificant nation. They feel that we would be out-voted by the European members of the league, whose interests would not accord with ours. If our Monroe doctrine, they say, which we always regarded essential to our safety, should be challenged, we would have to abandon it should a majority of the league decline to sanction it.

Unless we take steps to prevent war, we must carry an enormous military and naval establishment, with tremendous costs for munitions and munition plants. Another war like this, and the world would be reduced to absolute ruin.

The very least that should be done is to form an international council to meet every year to adjust relations between nations and maintain harmony. There is much less likelihood of future wars if the representatives of the powers are working together in an international body. Whether it is wise to give such a body the power to declare war against a refractory member of the council, without referring the matter to the governments represented, is question that would have to work out. It is not probable that our government would consent to grant such power at first.

Such a council ought to be able to enforce its decisions without war by the threat of economic boycott. When a quarrelsome nation realizes that it will be cut off from foreign intercourse unless it behaves, it will think a long time before putting an army in the field. If we fail to create the machinery that shall stop further wars, 10,000,000 lives have been sacrificed in vain, and their blood will cry out in reproach.

In view of the tendency of the influenza to break out again, people with bad colds need not feel under special obligation to start out on a round of calls through the whole neighborhood.

A friend inquires what shall be done with all the enormous amount of surgical dressings that have accumulated? Well, the peace conference at present outlook may need a few of them.

Having left their Liberty coupon bonds kicking around the house, where a sneak thief got them, some people think it is absolutely useless to display thrift and save money.

The Turks deny that they are living in idleness, as they can always take hold and massacre a few thousand more Armenians when there isn't anything else to do.

This wearing of old clothes isn't so bad when you bought them of a well-advertised store which has to make good on the stuff to which it gives publicity.

It looks like the same old rush just before Christmas, and presents sent by mail or express are guaranteed to be delivered by Washington's birthday.

If you can't pay for having your house repaired and painted at present cost of labor, you can always offer the house in part payment for the job.

After commanding his soldiers to walk up to their death in machine gun fire, ex-Kaiser Bill jumps when he sees a shadow on the lawn.

The Bolsheviks claim they have many followers in this country, and prove it by demonstrating the great number of tools among us.

It is denied that the anti-trust laws haven't done anyone any good, as the lawyers have made a lot of money out of them.

Now that the old is off, our sweet tooth people should put enough coffee in the cup to flavor the sugar.

Read the want ads.

## REHBERG'S

The Greatest  
Fire Sale in the His-  
tory of Janesville  
Now Going On

Had To Lock The Doors  
To day

Supply Your  
Christmas Needs  
Here Now  
Saving of  
30% to 60%  
On Everything in  
This Store

\$75,000 Stock  
of Men's Women's  
Children's Shoes,  
Men's and Boys'  
Suits, Overcoats  
and Furnishings  
Being Sacrificed

Christmas Cigars

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THE LA MARCA  
10c CIGAR  
BOXES OF 50 ONLY  
\$3.25.

THE OFFICIAL SEAL  
10c CIGAR  
BOXES OF 25 ONLY  
\$1.75.

These are splendid cigars. Our big Friday and Saturday specials, regular price 10c; from now until Xmas 7c, 3 for 20c.

And a large stock of other brands and Pipes and Smokers' Needs.

SMITH'S PHARMACY

The Retail Store.

Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.

Read the want ads.

# Be A Home Booster

Patronize the home merchant who has to pay his share of keeping up our schools, public buildings and streets.

The dollar you leave with him helps Janesville and makes your home town more prosperous.

3% On Savings.

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Established 1855.

### A Savings Account as a Christmas Gift

It is often difficult to select a suitable Christmas gift and the gift you do select may be of little value to the one who receives it. In selecting your gifts this year do not overlook the fact that a Savings Pass Book which bears 3% interest is a very useful present.

### Merchants & Savings Bank

Oldest Savings Bank in Rock Co.

### CHIROPRACTORS

DAMROW & ANGSTROM, D. C.  
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Office Hours: 1 to 4; and 5 to 7:45

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These bonds are secured by taxation, being obligations of a substantial and growing community and they are a safe and attractive investment.

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Write for our list describing these bonds.

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Hawk Works Hard for Living.

The hawk is a successful fisherman, and were its task done with the catching of a fish its lot would be an enviable one. But a live fish is undesirable as the piece de resistance of a hawk dinner, so the bird that catches it always flies around until the fish is dead. This, we are told, is the invariable practice.

Sometimes a fish expires quickly, while at other times a hawk must fly around for hours before it can return home to the waiting family. There have been times when the fish have displayed stamina greater than the birds. This may explain why hawks seldom pounce on the cracker, most tenacious of life of all fish in the waters roundabout.

There is a well-attested instance of a hawk which started to fly around with a cracker it had caught and, after flapping about a whole afternoon and half a night, fell exhausted on the beach. Fishermen who were attracted by the unusual occurrence found the hawk dead while the cracker, fastened to its talons, had not croaked.

**Tiger's Amazing Feat.**  
"The strength and vitality of a full-crown tiger are amazing," asserts a wild-game hunter, in Chicago American. "I had occasion to spend the night a short time ago in a place where a tiger had performed some remarkable feats. Just at dusk one of these marauders visited the village and discovered a cow and her six-month-old calf in a pen which had been excavated in the side of a hill and adjoined a house. There was no possible way to enter the enclosure except by a door opening from the main part of the dwelling, or to descend from above. The tiger jumped from the roof upon the neck of the heifer, killing it instantly, and the inmates of the house opened the door just in time to see the animal throw the calf out bodily and leap after it himself. It measured the embankment and found the exact height was 12½ feet."

### LOCAL LIBRARY WELL EQUIPPED

JANESEVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY ONE OF THE BEST IN WIS. CONSI. NEW BOOKS RECEIVED EACH MONTH.

### INFORMATION GIVEN

Information Can Be Obtained On Any Subject If Desired. Story Hour A Feature of Children's Room.

With new books received each month and the reading room containing all of the popular magazines of the day, as well as the leading newspapers of the nation, the Public Library of Janesville is undoubtedly one of the best equipped sources of information in the state of Wisconsin.

A public library is an necessary institution to any growing city and the people of Janesville should be extremely proud of the fine library they possess. There are there are great numbers of people who do not appreciate the value of such an institution and every effort is being made by the library officials to make the Janesville Public Library one of the most popular places in the city.

The library is in charge of Miss Mary Egan, librarian, with Misses Moeser, Field and Smith as assistants. It is open each day except Saturday from 12 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the evening and is for the use of the entire community. There are twenty thousand volumes in the library at the present time exclusive of all government books. The reading room is well equipped with all of the latest magazines and the leading papers of this section including the Current History magazine of the New York Times.

Owing to the lack of libraries in the public schools of this city Miss Egan has established a plan where small libraries are installed in the various buildings containing books of all descriptions. The books are changed every few weeks and in that manner the pupils may obtain useful books from their school. The library at the high school is not very extensive and the school children are urged to come to the library for any assistance needed.

Janesville's women's clubs find the library a source of aid in preparing their topics. Here the ladies of the various clubs may come and with the assistance of the library workers prepare their essays first hand. There is no subject that information cannot be obtained on and the institution is being used extensively by these club women.

Men who are working on machinery or studying any subject find ready information awaiting them. Hardly a day passes but there is a call for assistance on the subject of machinery and the information is available and readily given to the caller.

**Meet Thursday:** The Fulton Center Red Cross will meet at Indian Ford Hall Thursday, December 19. Lunch will be served.

### SOPHOMORES WIN FAST GAME FROM FRESHMEN

The Sophomores won from the Freshmen by 12 to 5 score in the first game of the interclass basketball tournament. The game was a closely contested one, the younger classmen keeping the Sophomores working the entire game. Both scored the entire five points for the Freshmen and was their best all around man. For the Sophomores Barrage and Newman played the best game. The Freshmen was made up of Gandy, Black, Crowley, McDermott, and Lloyd. The Sophomores played Newman, Barrage, Grubb, Smith and Pierce.

This afternoon immediately after school the second game of the tournament will be played when the Juniors and Seniors play. The winner of this game will play the Sophomores tomorrow afternoon. The winner of this game will take on the faculty for the championship of the school. It has not yet been decided when the faculty game will be played.

The following players also participated in the game. Sophomores: Hager, J. Smith, R. Smith, Pierce, Benison, and Atwood. Freshmen: McCluskey, Kelly, Dawson, Emerson and Crowley.

### PLAY GIVEN BY FRESHMEN CLASS

A remarkably fine little play was given before the high school assembly this morning, by the Freshmen Latin class, under the direction of Miss C. Zelinger. It was given in the Latin language and told of a Roman boy playing sick to escape school. The part of the boy was taken by Cleland Fisher. The ladies tormented by two girls played by Priscilla Muggleton and Besse Korst. The girls whom the boy was tormented by, the daughter being played by Charles Graege, Elizabeth acted as the mother of the boy and Leroy Phelps as the father. An explanation of the sketch in English was given by Geneva Lowth.

### MORE MONEY RECEIVED: FOREST FIRE VICTIMS

Twenty-five dollars was received yesterday by the Janesville Chamber of Commerce from the Orfordville branch of the American Red Cross to be sent to the fire relief committee at Superior. Contributions are still being received by the local organization for the fire fund and are forwarded to Superior, as soon as received.

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### PERSONAL MENTION

John W. Walsh of the Internal Revenue Service will leave Dec. 24th for France where he will act as secretary for the Red Cross Department.

**Visiting Out-of-Town:** Mrs. C. Coon of Danville, Ill., has returned. She spent the past week in Janesville the guest of different friends.

Miss Inger Sklbeck of S. Jackson street spent Sunday at her home in Stoughton.

Miss Alice Madden of Madison has been spending the past three days in Janesville with friends. She left for home on Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Fleek and son Stanley have returned to their home in Brodhead. They were Janesville visitors the last of the week.

Miss Lucy Whitmore is visiting in the town of Elkhorn. She is spending several days at the home of her brother Charles and family.

Mrs. Margaret Edwards of East Street, spent the past five days with friends in Rockford.

Private Hugh Wussaw who has just received his discharge from Camp Grant is spending a few days in town at the home of his brother Frank Wussaw, who will leave this week for his home in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. Louis Levy of Third street and a party of ladies motored to Ft. Atkinson a few days ago. Mrs. Levy went to attend a turkey dinner given at the Heard home, while the remainder of the party visited Ft. Atkinson friends.

Mrs. H. R. Whitmyer and Mrs. Roy Gestland were Chicago visitors on Monday.

**Out-of-Town Visitors:** Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cronk of Evansville motored to this city and visited friends the last of the week.

Dr. Carter Alexander, assistant state superintendent of public instruction, is visiting school today with Miss Jeanne Deen, supervising teacher.

A. H. Lake of Brodhead was a business visitor in Janesville on Saturday.

George Lewis of Madison is spending the day in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McIntosh of Edgerton were Saturday shoppers in town.

James Croak of Albany visited friends in this city the last of the week.

Miss Marie Stater of Belvidere, Ill., was the week end guest of friends in Janesville.

Miss Belle White of Libertyville, Ill., was the over Sunday visitor with relatives in town.

Miss Bessie Lake of Brodhead was a recent shopper in this city.

C. W. Riley of Beloit is a business visitor in town today.

Miss Anna McNeil of the Capitol Hotel at Madison, came down and spent Sunday at the Grand Hotel in this city.

Mrs. Harley Dredick of Brodhead visited friends in this city the last of the week.

Mrs. L. Larson and daughter were shoppers in town from Clinton on Saturday.

W. H. Greenman and W. William of Milton Junction spent Monday on business in this city.

Ira Jenkins and C. C. McCarthy of Edgerton are spending the day in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kellom of Edgerton spent Saturday in town visiting.

Miss Agnes Koehler, of Park street gave a Christmas party at her home on Monday evening. A large Christmas tree laden with gifts was the feature of the evening. The Christmas decorations were used throughout the house and in the large whited supper room served at 10:30. Each guest received one or more presents. They were all members of a club who usually plan to celebrate with a Christmas party.

Mrs. William McCue of Locust St., entertained a Bridge club the last of the week. The game was played at two tables and a tea was served after the game.

The Misses Gretchen Frick and Gladys Franklin went to Milton Junction a few evenings ago, and attended a military dance with friends.

Mrs. E. J. Haunerson of N. Jackson street, gave a sewing party, few days ago. A social afternoon was spent and tea was served. Mrs. Wm. Riger of Milwaukee was the out of town guest.

Miss Fleck of Milwaukee street, will entertain a small club of ladies this afternoon. They meet for sociability, play bridge and give a silver offering which is handed in to the Red Cross.

Mrs. George Bressee was hostess on Monday afternoon to the Congregational Club. They met at half past two. Roll call was answered with some current event of interest.

Miss Bressee served a delicious tea at the close of the afternoon. The next meeting will take place some time in January.

The King's Daughters will meet in the church parlor Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

Entertainment at M. E. Church tonight. Collection for French Orphans.

**A PRACTICAL CHRISTMAS GIFT:** There is nothing which would be more practical or useful than a daily paper coming to your house each day for the news. Instead of giving an ornament as a gift give a year's subscription to the Daily Gazette. It only costs \$6.00 per year in the city, \$4.00 in the county and is sure to be appreciated.

### ARCHBISHOP MESSMER FORBIDS HOLDING OF MIDNIGHT MASS XMAS

Letter Received By Rev. Charles Olson Of St. Mary's Church Informs Him of Ban on Midnight Services.

Owing to the prevalence of Spanish Influenza throughout the state Archbishop Messmer of Milwaukee has forbidden the Catholic churches in Wisconsin to hold midnight masses on Christmas eve.

The practice of holding the first mass on Christmas day at midnight was started in Janesville several years ago and has become part of the Christmas joy of many people. Not only Catholics but Protestants have attended the mass and each year the crowds have been larger.

A general dispensation is granted by Archbishop Messmer from fast and abstinence on the ember days of this week including Friday. This action was taken owing to the condition of infirmity.

Word of the stopping of midnight mass was received by Rev. Charles Olson of St. Mary's church this morning.

Both Catholic churches in the city have been making plans for the midnight masses and other places for Christmas services have been announced as yet.

### MONTEREY ALL STARS WIN ANOTHER CONTEST

Bowling better than they ever bowled before the crack Monterey All Stars took the East Side bowling team into camp last evening at the East Side alleys by a margin of 104 pins. All of the bowlers were in good form and several high scores were made by the team.

Henry Robbins was high for the evening with 239 in the first game. The scores follow:

### Monterey All Stars

Manthey ..... 192 149 156

Eick ..... 173 134 176

E. Schumaker ..... 184 145 152

R. Schumaker ..... 159 147 191

Faulkner ..... 139 173 190

Totals ..... 851 748 805—2464

### East Side

H. Robbins ..... 239 170 153

Smith ..... 136 104 168

Clauson ..... 160 137 199

Mead ..... 132 133 199

Totals ..... 834 701 825—2360

### PERSONAL MENTION

is now in the demobilization department at that camp.

### On Sick Report

Misses Ettie and Eva Nellis are confined to their home with the flu.

Mrs. John Flynn and infant son, Eddie Wayne, are seriously ill with influenza at the home of Mrs. Flynn's parents in Beloit.

Mrs. E. N. Freedland, who underwent a serious operation at Mercy Hospital, reported as improving.

Mrs. G. Bartholomew is suffering from the influenza and who recently broke away from his nurse while delirious, is reported as rapidly recovering at Mercy hospital.

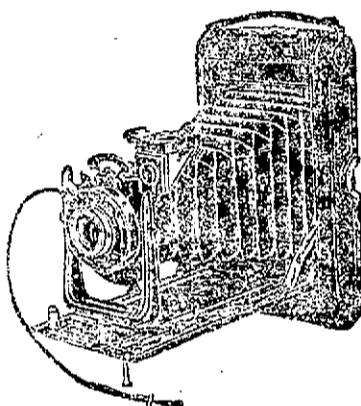
Little Joan Buchholz of North High street is quite ill with an attack of influenza.

## THE "VICTORY" GOWN IS HERE



Black chantilly lace draped over duchess satin is brought out in all its beauty by the addition of soft hued contrasting ribbons. Dark sequins emphasize the dainty lace design. A perfect dinner gown for the post-bellum affairs designed by the inimitable Lady Duff Gordon.

Force of Habit. It's Not So Difficult. Friend—"I will return your pleasant Some women are very shrewd. In call!" Young Author (absently)—"But deed. They can tell a lie the minute I have given you no postage!"—Puck, they hear one.



Give him a watch, or books, or money—but nothing will please a boy like a Kodak or Brownie Camera. It's a Christmas gift for all the year. Besides, the picture story of the good times with his playmates—pictures of the winter fun both indoors and out—will be interesting always, and increase in value with each succeeding year.

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We have just received a large importation of Royal Doulton Ware from England. Pieces of unusual merit in Fancy Jugs, Tea Pots and Dinner Ware.

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## BABY'S LOT NOT HAPPY ONE

Small Wonder That So Many Children of the Puritans Ended Their Earthly Career Early.

There is no doubt of the strength and endurance of the Puritan babies which survived the hardships of the first few months of their lives. The Puritans came to America some time before modern heating appliances were scheduled to arrive, and their winter days and nights could have been little less than one long shiver.

If his elders suffered so much discomfort, what must have been the hardship of the newest baby who, a few days after his arrival in this world, was taken to the coldest part of it—the bleak little Puritan meeting house—which never knew anything better than heatless days? "This expedition often completed the baby's earthly career," says Laura E. Richards, in recounting the tribulations of the Puritan junior population. We think of the hardness of the early Puritan children, but this writer says, "Of Judge Sewall's 14 children, but three survived him, a majority dying in infancy; and of the 15 children of his friend, Cotton Mather, but two survived their father." The infant mortality due to exposure may be readily conjectured.

In addition to the visit to the cold meeting house, the baby must steel himself to face the greater or lesser ailments of babyhood—and their remedies. One of these remedies, which admirably asserts the spirit of the times, was reserved as a cure for fits or "fitters." The trouble was called, and was known as "snail water." This concoction, containing a peck of garden shell snails, was made doubly effective by adding a quart of treated earthworms.

## SLEEP AS AID TO LONGEVITY

Long Hours In Bed May Mean Long Life, But the Question Arises, Is It Worth It?

The farmer's wife at Market Bosworth, England, who, "though in perfect physical health," has remained in bed for three years may hold that if we all spent more time in bed we should live much longer. This theory is borne out by the experience of two sisters of Brillat-Savarin, who nearly attained a hundred years. They lived at a country house belonging to the author of the "Physiologie du Gout," which he used only in September and October. They spent ten months of the year in bed, getting up two days before his arrival, and living a normal life during his stay. On his departure they would say: "Goodby until next September, Anthelme. We are going to bed." One of them died at the age of ninety-nine, as she was finishing dinner, her last words being, "Hurry up with the dessert!"

On the other hand, some Swiss doctors say that the amount of sleep should be regulated by altitude. Too much sleep, they maintain, is as harmful as too much drink. In low-lying districts seven hours' slumber may be taken with impunity, but up in the mountains five hours' is quite enough. These sleep specialists also ban the practice of remaining in bed in the morning, half awake, and insist on the necessity of arising as soon as sleep falls.

What's a Feller to Do? "It's a funny thing," observed the facetious philosopher, "my friend Jones says he isn't married because he can't afford a wife, and I can't afford a wife because I am married."

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## Blown Up!

By RALPH HAMILTON

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"Is that man still here?" "You mean Mr. Disney?" "Yes, Aunt Marcella, he is still carrying on his experiments down near the ravine."

Miss Marcella Walden, spinster, shivered, shuddered and drew her shawl about her thin shoulders in a protecting way. "That man" was Paul Disney. He had come to Alton three weeks previously, and had rented from Elva Bissell's mother an old, dismantled shed located on a barren, sequestered portion of the old farm near where there was a deep rocky ravine. Then he had put up signs on the trees all about, bearing the ominous warning word: "Danger!"

He had explained to Elva that he was in the service of a company manufacturing high explosives and desired a secluded spot where he could experiment with no annoyance or peril to others.

"Before he gets through he'll probably blow himself up," Aunt Marcella scolded now.

"Oh, I think not. He tells me he is very careful. I hope not, Aunt Marcella."

"You seem considerably interested in the young man," hinted Aunt Marcella, with a searching look.

"I am," frankly confessed Elva. "He is very kind to the children, insists on saving mother going downtown for things, and, as you know, is paying us liberally for the use of the old shell.

This was true. Bissell farm was sterile, poorly watered in the dry season, as poorly drained in the wet season. Alton river, navigable and yielding to the rich soil over beyond the ravine, the fruit of an inexhaustible fertility, was diverted and cut off by a great wall of rock, and everything to the east, like Bissell farm, was designated a part of "the bad lands."

"Ladies and gentlemen," he announced in his cold, clear tones, "a tungsten ring worth \$8,000 has been stolen and one of you is the thief, not to use a harsher word. Mrs. Hyphen Ramrod wishes me to spare the culprit's feelings, inasmuch as he is her guest. Very well. If you will kindly assemble about the dining table I will cause the lights to be extinguished and slowly count fifty. That will give the guilty party ample time to lay the ring on the table, under cover of the darkness. Otherwise I shall be obliged to search you all. But I should like a witness to be present. Mrs. Ramrod, kindly procure a witness."

Mrs. Ramrod left and returned with a passer-by, a tall man with side whiskers and a vacant stare. The great detective waved his hand, the room was plunged in darkness, and slowly he counted fifty. At "forty-eight" the unmistakable tinkle of tungsten against wood was heard as the stolen ring was tossed on the table. Immediately afterward there was a violent crash, as of breaking glass. The great detective turned on the lights.

The ring was not there. Neither was the witness.—Detroit Free Press.

DO SOMETHING WORTH WHILE

Much Benefit Will Come From: Determination to Make Each Day Record of Accomplishment.

The one who starts out in the morning with a determination to do something during the day that will amount to something, that will be distinctive, that will have individuality, that will give him satisfaction at night, is a great deal more likely not to waste his day in trifles, unproductive work than the one who starts out with no plan.

Begin every day, therefore, with a program and determine that, let what will come, you will carry it out as closely as possible. Follow it up persistently, day after day, and you will be surprised at the result.

Make up your mind at the very outset of the day that you will accomplish something that will amount to something; that you will not allow callers to distract your time, and that you will not permit the little annoyances of your business to spoil your day's work. Make up your mind that you will be larger than the trifles which cripple and cramp mediocre lives, and that you will rise above petty annoyances and interruptions and carry out your plans in a large and commanding way.

Make every day of your life count for something; make it tell in the grand results, not merely as an added day, but as an added day with something worthy achieved.

Much Property Reverts to Crown.

Few people realize the large amount of property which passes every year to the crown of England owing to the owners dying without heirs or next-of-kin, and without having made a will. In most of these cases the deceased is an illegitimate person with no children.

As a rule the crown does not appropriate the whole of the property,

but makes what is called a compensation allowance to the relatives of the deceased, although they may not be his relatives according to law, and in some cases to friends and servants who have performed services for him which entitle them to consideration.

The amount of the allowance is determined by the treasury, or, in the case of the estates of persons dying within the duchy of Lancaster, by the chancellor of the duchy.

The money does not pass to the king himself, but to the nation, and thus goes to relieve taxation.

Sable Philosopher.

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Clean out the auto by getting rid of odds and ends stored there. A little classified ad will do the trick.

## APOLLO

Evening 7:30 and 9:00.  
Matinee daily 2:30.

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The concluding chapters of "TARZAN of the Apes" From the book by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS.

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## WAS ELEGANT SCHEME, BUT

Great Detective Had Overlooked One Possible Happening, and the Witness Had Not.

There were just 13 guests at Mrs. Hyphen Ramrod's party. She thought it would prove unlucky and when she missed her \$8,000 tungsten ring she knew it was. She telephoned Sheerluck Holmes the great detective; immediately after the discovery and a few minutes later he arrived.

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BEVERLY  
7:30—TONIGHT—9:00  
PAULINE FREDERICK  
IN  
"FEDORA"

By Victorien Sardou

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt played the part on the spoken stage. Lina Cavalieri was "Fedora" in opera, and now Pauline Frederick will make the part live forever on the silver sheet.

—ALSO—  
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BILLIE BURKE

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RUTH ROLAND IN "HANDS UP"

SEVENTH EPISODE

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Showing the work done to win the war.

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Lest you forget: we take subscriptions for all papers and magazines published.

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WHO'S WHO  
in the Day News

HEDER JEDDY GRANT. Peter Jedy Grant, who succeeds the late Joseph F. Smith as president of the Mormon church, or "Church of Latter Day Saints," by virtue of his office as president of the Quorum of Twelve Apostles, is a representative of the more modern element of the Mormons. He is the first leader of the organization who was not a member of the original group of "Saints" that established the church. It was born in Salt Lake City in 1830 and organized an apostle in 1832. He is a healthy bachelor with large property holdings throughout Utah.

Founded in 1830 by Joseph Smith, then of Manchester, N. Y., who claimed to have received visions of God ten years before, the sect rapidly grew.

Among Smith's first converts was Brigham Young, who later became leader of the Mormons. Moving first to Kirtland, Ohio, and then to Jackson City, Missouri, the "Saints" engaged extensively in business with varying fortunes.

In 1838, after several encounters with the "Gentiles," as non-Mormons were termed, they emigrated to Illinois, where a temple was constructed with the number of converts about 15,000.

Additional trouble occurred with the non-believers, and a battle ensued which resulted in the death of the founder and his brother.

In 1845, under the leadership of Brigham Young, the Mormons began the long trek across the plains to Utah, where they settled at Salt Lake City. There their power and wealth continued to grow. They pushed an extensive propaganda throughout the United States, in Europe, Mexico and the Latin-American countries.

During the rule of the four presidents who succeeded Brigham Young the sect waged war, despite an unending fight against them. The principal opposition was caused by the anti-slavery policy. This is mainly due to them having ceased after secession acts passed by the congress of the United States.

President Grant, the new ruler of the church, will have enormous financial interests belonging to the central body of the sect, and with automatic powers of administration he will be an important figure in economic and political life in the west.

## COLONEL MARSHALL, S. A. GAVE EXCELLENT TALK

A distinguished visitor was in the city yesterday, Colonel Marshall of the Salvation Army, New York. He is in charge of the work in five states of the northwest, with headquarters in Minneapolis. He is constantly going from place to place within his jurisdiction, and from his unique experiences has garnered a store of knowledge concerning human nature, which he imparts in a forcible manner. In his talk last evening he touched on the work being done by the organization, and he paid special tribute to the way the hearts of the people were opened to help along this task. He mentioned the fact that the quota asked for in the five states for war work, was \$100,000, and that four times that amount, or \$400,000, was raised. He preached a short sermon, taking for his text the 27th chapter of Acts, beginning from the seventeenth verse.

Commandant Thomas Parkhouse of Beloit was present and led the singing. His two daughters, accompanied by another young lady, sang a trio, which was very enjoyable. Commandant Connor sang an original song, which the audience joined in the chorus.

Colonel Marshall has been conducting services in Beloit during the week-end, and now is on his way back to Minneapolis, where they are making extensive preparations for their Christmas exercises, which in that city are quite a feature.

## NEW RULINGS GIVEN FOR COAL CONSUMERS

Henry H. Hanson, fuel administrator for Janesville district has received new rulings relative to the use of hard and soft coal that are of interest to all consumers. The order states that "On account of the extreme shortage of the smaller sizes of Anthracite Coal,"

"Coke, Egg, Coka, or Buckwheat can be used for Hot Air Furnaces; and up to two thirds of order filled.

"Rungs, Coke, or Buckwheat can be used for Round Oak or non-magazine stoves. Delivered in one ton lots or less."

"One-half Rungs and the balance Chestnut or Pea Coal can be used for Gas Burners, delivered in one ton lots."

"No government order needed, or restriction on Soft Coal, Coke or Anthracite Buckwheat Coal."

"All prices to be based on government margins for each mixture. Pea and Buckwheat Coal will reduce the price."

"Dealers and consumers are warned that there is a heavy penalty fixed for a violation of these rules."

## Ireland's Round Towers.

No one knows exactly when or why the round towers in Ireland were built, but some believe that the druids erected them as watch towers and places to which to go for safety in time of danger. A good many of the towers have the tops broken down and those which show the cone tops intact have mostly been restored. There is no door on the ground, the doors being purposely built at about 10 or 15 feet from the ground and were reached by ladders.

After the people had climbed inside they drew their ladders up after them and thus were out of reach of the Danes who frequently invaded the country. The tiny windows of these towers are far up toward the top also. About 80 round towers remain in Ireland, but only a few of them are perfect. According to one authority, they were probably built between the 9th and 13th centuries.

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If you have a skin trouble that is distressing you, do not let another day pass without using Poslam.

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## Evansville News.

Charles Sperry is on the sick list at the present writing.

Mrs. Burr Tolles, phone 344 private phone, represents the Gazette in Evansville. Franklin Clifford has charge of the carrier routes. Orders for subscriptions, and service complaints should be phoned to him.

Just Folks  
By EDGAR A GUEST.

LIFE'S FINEST MIRACLE. I've seen the sun at morning break. The sable canopy of night. I've seen the hills and fields awake To beauty with the coming light. It's ways mysterious and strange. And now upon life's battle line I've seen the souls of mortals change.

I've marvelled at the birth of spring. To see the orchards come to bloom. How glorious the blossoming That follows after winter's gloom! The miracles of life abound. Beyond the grasp of human ken. Out of the cold and barren ground I've seen the roses grow again.

Now I have seen the soul awake, And looked upon a glorious youth That once had lived for pleasure's sake. Go forth to battle for the truth. I've seen the light of fire divine In eyes that once were dull and cold.

Oh, privilege superbly fine! I've seen the souls of men unfold. I've seen men spur the easier way To tread the rugged heights of pain. I've seen them turn from gods of clay To worship One that shall remain. I've seen them march from pleasure's ways.

To answer when the helpless cry. And in these dark and troubled days, For liberty I've seen them die.

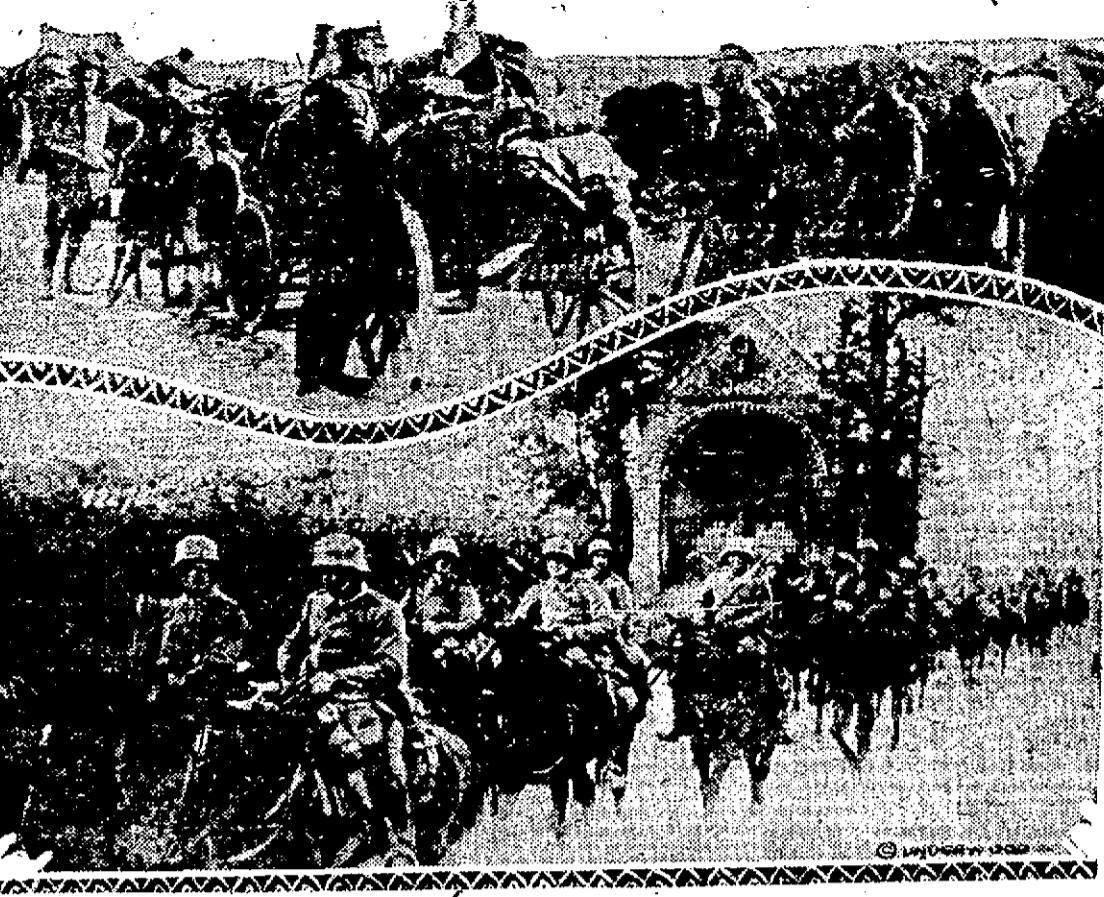
When Woman Brags. One observation is that when a woman has had the same cook for five years, and the same husband for ten, she brags mostly on the cook—Galveston News.

Where We Are. A clergyman, in musing on our common morality, gave vent to his feelings in this remarkable aphorism: "We're here today and away tomorrow."—Christian Register.

Daily Thought. Man is created free, and is free, even though born in chains.—Schiller.

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## RETREAT OF THE GERMANS TO BEYOND THE RHINE



German troops retreating to beyond the Rhine in fulfilling the armistice terms.

These pictures rushed from Europe show the German forces retreating to beyond the Rhine as one of the terms of the armistice. The upper picture shows a detachment of German infantry. They are using wagons to carry their equipment. A baby jackass has been loaded onto one of the wagons and is doomed to existence in Germany. The lower photo shows German cavalry on the retreat.

## Young Lady Across the Way.

The young lady across the way says her father has cut down on the size of his cigar and is now smoking pantalettes.

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## Life's Sunshine.

If I can put one touch of rosy sunshine into the life of any man or woman I shall feel I have worked with God.—George MacDonald.

## For bargains galore see Classified page.

## Daily Thought.

Charity itself consists in acting justly and faithfully in whatever office, business and employment a person is engaged.—Swedenborg.

## Read the want ads.

Coquetish. The fraction leaned over and touched the whole number on its digit. "Say," she whispered, "is my number on straight?"

## Read the want ads.

GET SLOAN'S FOR YOUR PAIN RELIEF. You don't have to rub it in to get quick, comfortable relief.

Once you've tried it on that stiff joint, sore muscle, sciatic pain, rheumatic twinges, lame back, you'll find a warm, soothin' relief you never thought a liniment could produce. Won't stain the skin, leaves no marks, wastes no time in applying, sure to give quick results. A large bottle means economy. Your own or any other druggist has it. Get it today.

**Sloan's Liniment**  
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There is only one medicine that really stands out prominent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription for specific diseases, makes friends quickly because it is mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Janesville Daily Gazette.

## The Golden Eagle Levy's

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Down Go the Prices on All COATS, SUITS and DRESSES

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Infants' Knit Sacques ..... 85c to \$2.50  
Infants' Wool Vests each, at ..... 50c  
Infants' Sweater Sets, set \$4.50 to \$8.50  
Children's Sweaters ..... \$3.00 to \$9.50  
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Sport Snap Shots  
MORRIS MILLER

Football players of other years have been frequently mentioned in the casualty reports sent to this country from the battle ground in France. Gridiron stars in great numbers have made the sacrifice, and if a complete list could be made up, it would probably contain over the hundreds. A list has been prepared, and it will be found some of the names which have meant so much in the football world. In years gone by, Princeton and Williams have been unusually hard hit, with Yale and Harvard contributing their quota.

Following is the list containing a few of the ex-football players who have made their last charge:

Harvard—Mills, Starr, Doherty, H. Coughlin.

Yale—Wilson, Higginbotham, Spencer, Stillman.

Princeton—Coe, Cockran, Duff, Blauchenthal, Foulke, McLean, Ellsworth, C. Baker, Christie.

Williams—E. Brooks, O'Brien, Gifford, Pollard, Turner, Meeker, Blodgett.

Columbia—Healy, Buermeyer.

New York University—Carroll.

Brown—Deerman, McLaughlin.

Athens—Ashley, Perkins.

Washington and Jefferson—Whitehall.

Mittrich Academy—Dean.

Syracuse—Harrington.

Chicago—Shull, Godwin, Turner.

Vanderbilt—Curry.

Nebraska—Rhodes.

Montana—Kornblau.

Pitcher Ray Fisher of the Yankees has mustered out of the service and has returned to his home in Mid-dsbury, Vt., where he will remain until time for the Yankees to leave for the southland in the spring. Fisher enlisted in the army in December, 1917, and was sent with other recruits to Fort Slocum. He got no further, as he was appointed to the position of athletic director at the fort and held the post up to the time of his discharge.

I see Wilbert Robinson has been signed up for another year as manager of the Brooklyn club. That means the scribes can call the team the Robins for another season at least.

Jack Peltier is credited by many with being the champion repeater because of his fourteen bouts with Ted (Kid) Lewis. The real champion, however, is not the former welter-weight champion but Sam Langford, the ancient negro battler. Langford has met Sam McVey just for times; took Jim Deane over the ropes in a matter of eleven battles; exchanged knockouts with Harry Will in nine times and even met Jack Blackburn on four occasions.

Captain Billy Lyons says the hard-est job any umpire has is to chase a player from the game. It may be Bill, but a lot of the umps seem to like the job.

William T. (Bill) Tilden, Jr., of Philadelphia, whose many triumphs featured the lawn tennis world last season, although he lost the national singles championship to R. Bradley Murray at Forest Hills, says Murray should rank No. 1 this season.

Regarding his match with Murray, Tilden says: "I was beaten by Murray, but took Jim Deane over the ropes in a matter of eleven battles; exchanged knockouts with Harry Will in nine times and even met Jack Blackburn on four occasions."

Fraudulent Precious Stones. About ten years ago Antwerp was flooded with spurious white diamonds. Before the fraud was detected the persons who made the transformation had reaped a profit of eight million dollars.

Don't Judge Harshly. Nine times out of ten there is an explanation for what seems unreasonable upon first notice. Wait a while before passing judgment.

ABE MARTIN

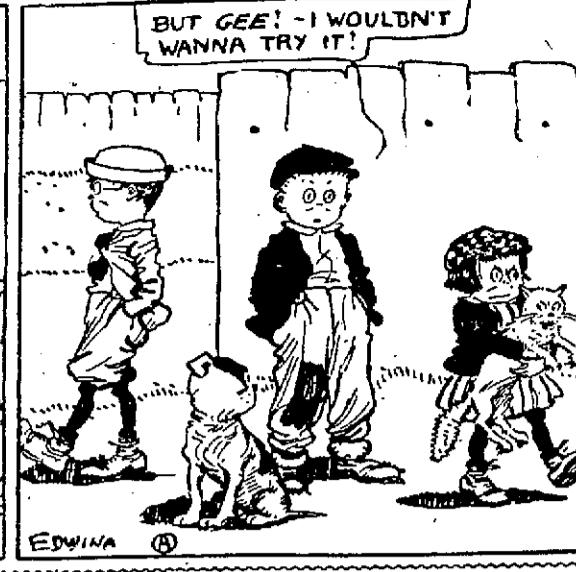


"I reckon a fellow ought to be able to buy a submarine chaser party cheap a little later on," said the Soles, t'day. "Mia Pash gave her age away t'day by hummin' 'After the Ball.'

## "CAP STUBBS"



## "CAP" WOULD NEVER GET HOMESICK.

J. H. SCHOLLER  
Optometrist

We aim to give 24-hour service in Lens Grinding and all Spectacle and Eye Glass repairing.  
New Location—207 W. Milwaukee St.  
Bell Phone, 315.

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GREETS WILSON IN  
BREST FOR FRANCE

Stephen Pichon.

Stephen Pichon, French foreign minister, was selected by French officials to greet President Wilson officially on his arrival at Brest France.

Optimistic Thought.  
It is a sure indication of good sense to be diffident of it.

ON THE SPUR  
of the MOMENT  
ROY K. MOULTON

## A MODERN VERSION.

Mother, dear mother, come home with me now.

The clock in the steeple strikes six. You said you were coming right home from your work.

An Pa's in a terrible fix. He's been taking care of the seven young kids.

'Tis more of a job than you think. He wants to get supper, but all of the pans

And kettles are piled in the sink.

Cho—Come home, come home, etc.

He's been darnin stockings until he is lame.

His fingers are weary and sore.

He's mopped and he's scrubbed, and although he's game

He says he can't stand for much more.

The furnace fire's out and the cat's in the milk.

The old girl quit yesterday. Since he's taken his place in the mill there's no peace.

Oh, mother, come home right away.

Cho—Come home, come home, etc.

The Mayflower progeny bid fair to be quite eclipsed, outclassed and outnumbered by the "Descendants of the S. S. George Washington."

It appears that O. Henry has "come back" on several occasions and communicated with occultists. We wish some time, when he "comes back" to spend the evening, he would drop his recipe for the making of good short

Lost and found articles quickly find their owner by use of a little classified ad.

stories. They have been scarce since he left us.

He is whipped and he is more or less depressed, but a Hun is a Hun for a' that.

## HUSBANDS.

They're russy and they're frivolous. Sometimes it seems that way. They're tender and they're heartless and

They're mournful and they're gay. They're prudish and they're reckless. And in faults they all abound.

They cost a lot of money, but

They're nice to have around.

## JANE.

Seems as though Hank Ford should set sail for the peace conference in the good ship Oscar II.

"Trunk Mystery Grows Deeper," says a headline. Evidently it was not one of those \$2.40 steamer trunks.

Another thing we must have a general understanding about is the freedom of the nose.

"How about the freedom of the sneeze?" asks the man at the next desk.

Justice Leads to Love.

Do Justice to your brother (you can do that, whether you love him or not), and you will come to love him.—Ruskin.

## Daily Thought.

The great theater for virtue is conscience.—Cicero.

Shop in The Gazette before you shop in the stores.

Read the want ads.

Cheering Him Up.  
Sergeant Instructor (to Cadet)—"Na, ye'll no mak' an officer. But it's just possible if the warr keeps on a while an' ye practice hard—verrrr hard—micht—micht, mind ye—begin to have a glimmer that ye'll never ken the rudiments of the wurrk!"—Punch.

Prevents Snoring.  
One of the simplest of many new devices to prevent snoring consists of a pair of tubes to be inserted into the nostrils to keep them open.

To Keep Flowers.  
The addition of a little saltpeter or carbonate of soda to water in which cut flowers are placed will keep some varieties fresh more than two weeks.

Of Ways and Means.  
A book has been published entitled: "How to Live Longer." It ought to be worth reading—a great many of us are short all our lives.

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"ACCUMULATING"  
BANKING CLUB  
The A. B. C. of Fortune BuildingYOU CAN  
START WITH

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\$10.00      \$20.00  
OR MORE

You deposit the same amount each week for Fifty Weeks to Five Years.

You don't lose any part of what you put in should you be unable to keep up your payments.

## JOIN TODAY

## FORTUNE BUILDING

Everyone has the materials for building a fortune, but they do not use them. These materials are "economy" and "grit."

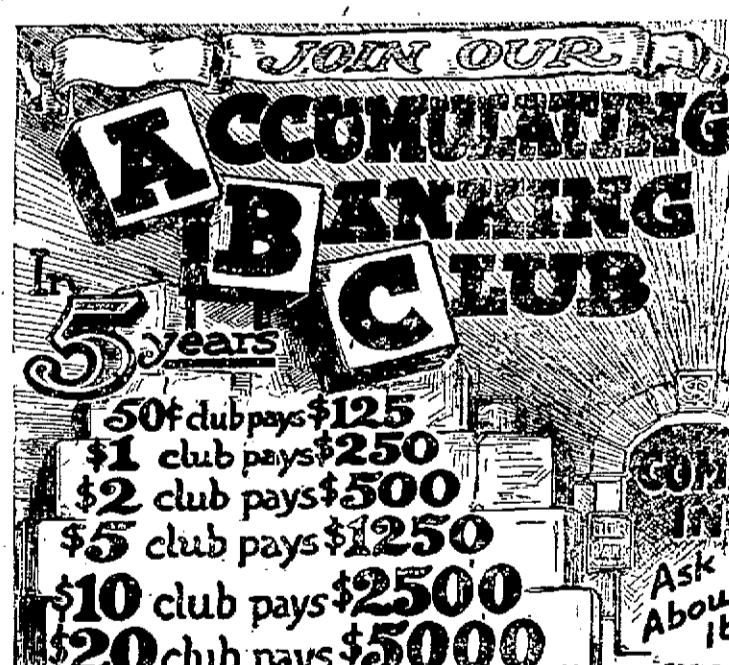
Practicing economy is not a hardship on you; it only means living within your means, so that you may put away a little money for the future—when "rainy day"—when adversity comes to you or when you grow old and are unable to work.

"Grit" is the ability to stick to your resolution to have money.

A fortune is within the grasp of all. It is up to you. Lay the foundation by coming in and joining our "Accumulating" Banking Club now with the firm intention of keeping up your payments every year for five years.

Each deposit will be a block in the fortune you are building and in time you will have built a wall against debt and poverty—a wall that will protect you and yours.

JOIN OUR  
"Accumulating" Banking Club  
TODAY



## START TODAY

You will want and need money in the Future—so will those dependent on you.

## Will You Have It?

You will, if you come to our Bank now and join our

"ACCUMULATING"  
BANKING CLUB

and Regularly Bank your money.

## MAKE THE START!

Don't keep putting off the most important duty of your whole life.

## JOIN TODAY

## WHAT IT MEANS TO HAVE MONEY

When you have accumulated money, you gain with it character and self-reliance which others, who have also made money, recognize. These people know you because you have shown you have "the right stuff" in you, and you are offered more opportunities to make more money—and these opportunities, you would never otherwise hear about.

It gives you a prominent place in your city and community.

It is not the money alone that does this, but the fact that you had the brains to start building your fortune and the courage to go through with it.

It means comfort, peace of mind and the satisfaction of knowing that should you be suddenly taken away, those dependent on you would not be left in poverty and misery.

You have no fear of the present or future—you have done your duty.

JOIN OUR  
"Accumulating" Banking Club  
TODAY

Andy used to buy the biggest plug for the money  
'till one day Barney gave him a chew of Real Gravely.



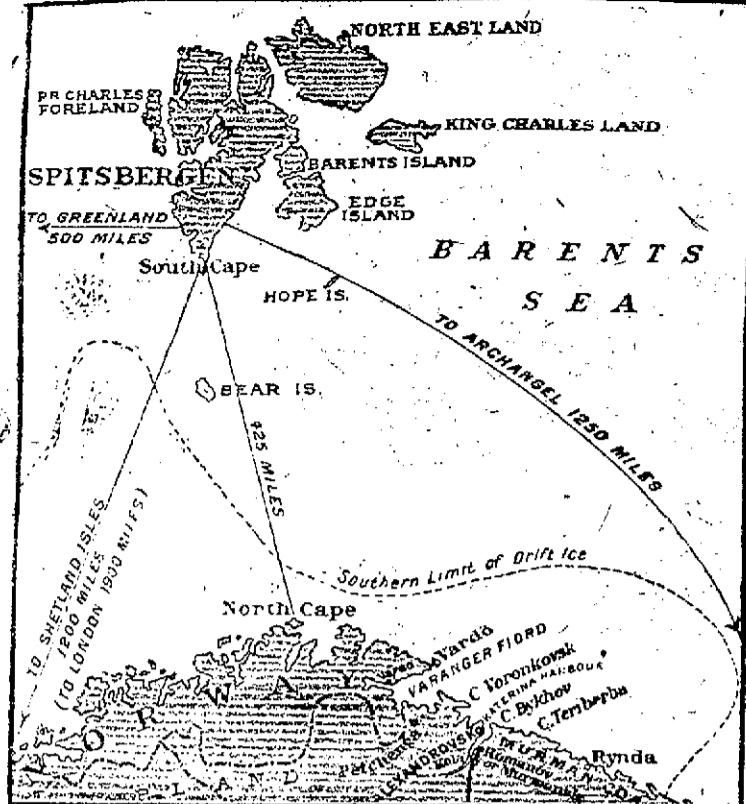
It was an hour or more before Andy said anything. "How much longer does this Gravely hold its good taste?" he says. "Two or three little squares last me all morning," an

PEYTON BRAND

Real Gravely Chewing Plug  
each piece packed in a pouch

MERCHANT & SAVING BANK

## PROBLEM OF SPITZBERGEN, GENUINE "NO MAN'S LAND," SUBJECT FOR PEACE TABLE



The position of Spitzbergen in relation to London and Norway.

A land where highway robbery, murder and other high crimes and misdemeanors are perfectly legal will be one of the problems that will arise to perplex the peace conference. This land is Spitzbergen, 400 miles north of Norway and embracing 50,000 square miles. Although it is wonderfully rich in iron, coal, marble and pure gypsum, Spitzbergen is without a government and remains unclaimed by any nation.

## METHODS OF MARKING MONEY

Officials Trap Pecculators Who Dip Nefariously Into the Cash Drawer.

In their surveillance and apprehension of suspected persons government secret officers often find it necessary to "mark the money" handled by such persons. There are various methods of so marking the national currency, one of the most novel of which is the pin-prick.

The note to be marked is, say, the \$5 silver certificate bearing the vignette of an Indian chief in full regalia of feathers and trappings and presenting a full-face view. With the aid of a pin the secret service man makes two punctures in the bill directly in the pupils of the Indian's eyes. To the casual and sometimes even critical inspector of the note these pin-pricks are invisible. If raised to the light, however, the bill will distinctly reveal them.

The markings are complicated by the following process: The pinpoint is applied in the "twist" of the large figure 5 of the two upper corners of the note. The note is now pierced again, this time at the ends of the scrolls on each side of the word "Five" in the lower center of the bill. The marking is now complete. In secret it is exhibited to one or more persons for purposes of identification and is then placed in the till or money drawer to which the suspected person has access.

It is said that the pin-pricks will remain perfect for some time. When such bills are produced in court and their markings are explained under oath conviction is practically certain.—Literary Digest.

## Differences in Coast Line.

The line of the Atlantic coast is largely of mud and sand, and has very little elevation. On the other hand, the Pacific coast line of Washington, Oregon and California is almost entirely rocky and precipitous. While the Atlantic and Gulf coasts are dotted with numerous harbors where ships may seek safety in time of storm, very different conditions exist on the Pacific, where there are few harbors, and these at long intervals.

## Task Well Worth While.

"It takes a big man to do the work of the world," says the Philosopher of Folly. "Let us be contented to do its chores."

## OUT FOR AN AIRING IN LONDON TOWN



Yank soldier giving wounded comrade a ride in London.

The good fellowship of our boys in service is shown in the picture above. The Yank soldier driving the motorcycle has called at one of the hospitals where our wounded boys are quartered in London and is taking one of the disabled heroes for a sight-seeing tour.

## HAD BEGINNING IN ROMANCE

Pretty Legendary Story Concerning Tea That Dates Some 2,000 Years Before Christ.

The Chinese claim to be the first users of tea as a drink, and how it originated is told in a pretty little legend that dates back 2,000 years before the coming of Christ.

A daughter of a then reigning sovereign fell in love with a young nobleman, whose inferior birth excluded him from marrying her. They managed to exchange glances, and they occasionally gathered a few blossoms and had them conveyed to her.

One day in the palace garden the lovers met, and the young man endeavored to give her a few flowers; but so keen was the watchfulness of her attendants that all she could grasp was a little twig with green leaves.

On reaching her room she put the twig in water, and toward evening she drank the water in which the twig had been kept. So agreeable was the taste that she even ate the leaves and the stalks. Every day afterward she had bunches of the tea tree brought to her, which she treated in the same way.

Initiation being the sincerest form of flattery, the ladies of the court tried the experiment, and with such pleasing results that the custom spread throughout the kingdom—and the great Chinese tea industry became one of the greatest businesses in the world.

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## WISCONSIN'S HONOR ROLL

Casualties reported today are: killed in action 239; died of wounds 66; died of accident 1; died of disease 162; wounded severely 2059; wounded, degree undetermined 671; wounded slightly 2439; missing in action 250.

Wisconsin soldiers named are:

**KILLED IN ACTION**  
Priv. Fred. J. Bierman, Milwaukee.  
Priv. C. E. Sudder, Port Atkinson.  
Priv. Jon. C. Bichon, La Crosse.  
Priv. Walter J. Hoff, Greenburg.  
Priv. Frank J. Koenig, Waukesha.  
Priv. Frank Sweeny, Chilton.  
Priv. A. Bolenthal, Manitowoc.  
Priv. George A. Duse, Bayfield.  
Priv. George E. Egan, Elkhorn.  
Priv. John A. Wiegel, Marshfield.  
Priv. Elmer J. Ludwig, Oshkosh.  
Priv. Frank J. Schaefer, Menasha.  
Priv. Bob Woudard, Evansville.  
Priv. Julius Nash, Boyd.

**WOUNDED** (Degree Undetermined)  
Priv. Alexander C. Johnson, Milwaukee.  
Priv. A. M. Nichols, Neosho.  
Priv. Stanley Pickarski, Milwaukee.  
Priv. Arthur A. M. Nichols, Neosho.

**MISSING**  
Lieut. Milo D. Burgess, Sheboygan.

Corps. Leonard B. Radtke, Madison.

Corps. Elmer J. Johnson, Milwaukee.

Corps. John C. Kunkle, Superior.

Corps. Russell Decker, Manitowoc.

Mechanic Carl Wagner, Green Bay.

Corps. Alexander Fliske, Milwaukee.

Corps. Carl W. Johnson, Milwaukee.

Corps. John F. Dahl, Iron River.

Priv. Arthur Schmoller, Waukesha.

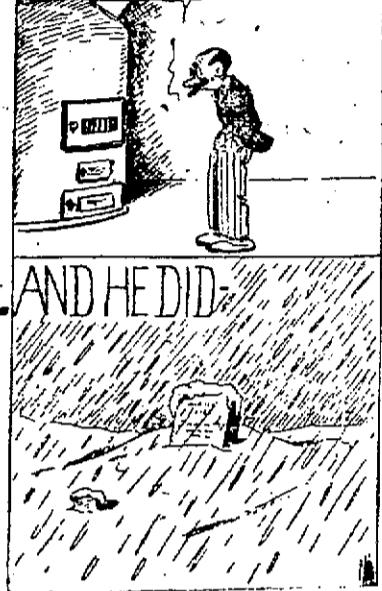
Priv. John H. Whisconer, Milwaukee.

Priv. Theodore J. Johnson, Green Bay.

Priv. D. L. Hambrecht, Middleton.

## AND HE DID.

I WONT START A FIRE UNTIL  
JANUARY 1ST TO SAVE COAL!



More than twice as much habitaline is being used than before the war, not for killing moths but killing men.

Shop in The Gazette before you shop in the stores.

## AND HE DID.



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Westly, Bank, Milwaukee.

Wise, Lucy, Milwaukee.

Witbeck, H. J., Milwaukee.

Wolfe, Frank, Milwaukee.

Worrell, George, Milwaukee.

Wright, John, Milwaukee.

**HEARD FROM OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS**Sergt. Marshall Davis  
U.S.A.

Sergt. Marshall Davis of Co. C, 107th Supply Train, writes on November 10th, to his mother, Mrs. T. C. Davis, telling her of his experiences in going to the hospital while there, and while returning to his company. The letter follows:

I had been feeling rather sick for three days, feeling in quarters during the time. The third afternoon I dovel up a high temperature and went over to the Infirmary to have said temperature taken. The Medical Sergeant looked at the thermometer told me I had 104.5 and called the Captain. He looked me over and gave orders that I should be evacuated to a hospital. While waiting outside an ambulance of the 107th came made one trip with my name, Company and Captain's diagnosis on it. This hastened to my clothes. By the time I had gotten my toilet articles together a Ford ambulance was waiting. I climbed into the seat with the driver and we were off, 4:00 p.m. My bug read "Leave undeterred type."

Arrived at the Hospital at 5:30 and went right to bed. My fever went down and I felt fairly comfortable.

About 9:30, a number of us were ordered to be evacuated to another hospital just at midnight. We left in ambulances at 10:30, arriving at an evacuation hospital just at midnight. Went right to bed and slept pretty sound.

At quite a break in the night, during which we had a wash the doctor came around at 10:30 a.m. and after looking me over, changed the diagnosis to "Influenza." This was August 24. Right after dinner number of us were taken to a railroad station nearby to entrain for a Base Hospital. We got on an American Red Cross train about 8:30 p.m. enroute to the hospital. The Hospital at about 3:30 the next afternoon.

We lived up and passed by a train before which sat a couple doctors and were assigned to different Wards, according to our ailments. I was put in No. 2. Then we went to a bath house and throwing all our clothes in a heap had a good hot bath. Then we were given pajamas, bath towels and slippers and sent to our respective wards. There we were assigned to our beds, mine was No. 22. Each ward has 50 beds, placed in two rows the length of the ward.

Pretty soon the nurse brought some chicken soup around, also a piece of toast, then took our temperatures. The next morning, the doctor examined me and said I had influenza and pneumonia.

Then he had come and questioned me and had a Sergeant take some blood from my ear for a microscopic test. On the morning of August 27th, the doctor said the blood test showed I had malaria fever, so I was confined to my bed and given three quinine pills each day besides my three square meals each day. They kept this up for two solid weeks, giving me each day a dose of 20 grains.

Next day I was allowed to draw some clothes and run around to suit myself. Got a complete uniform, an overcoat and slacks. Went down to town a couple of times to have glasses fitted, also to look the town over. Was transformed from Ward No. 2 to the convalescent side of the hospital, where I remained for two weeks, doing nothing but a little typewriting.

for the chief nurse at Headquarters. Left the hospital at noon, Sunday, October 6, afterword at 4:30 p.m. and arrived at the classification camp about 11:30. Had a cup of Java, three doughnuts and two cookies after which I slept pretty good. Slept on the ground in a barrack and aside from someone trying to use me for a sidewalk, I guess nothing else of importance happened.

At 8 a.m. the next morning, a large number were lined up and started through the "mill" to be re-classified, equipped, etc. I will tell what happened to me and leave the rest to look out for themselves.

Entered a large barrack at one end, had my teeth and throat inspected and was then examined over for contagious disease by a doctor. Next went into another room where a clerk made out a slip with my name, Company, Regiment and Division on it and sent me down the line. Here another clerk put my name at the top of a "Clothing and Equipment" slip, then I went to the next bunch of clerks. One of these made out an "Initial Information" slip with my name, rank, Company, regiment, division, name and address of nearest relative, where and when I landed in France. From there I entered the clothing department. In the first part were a number of low tables with a desk in the center, at which sat a clerk. I spread out such articles as I already had and the clerk checked off on the clothing slip no notice noted there what articles I should be issued, then the process commenced.

"I am only a little shaken up," she said, but hazily.

"My cottage is just yonder. You must rest," and she did not demur as he supported her to a great old-fashioned rocker under a tree. Then he brought out a pitcher of cool, fresh, well water. She smiled bravely as the shock of her fall diminished. "I will go and see what has happened to the bicycle," said Muir, and her grateful glance followed him.

He found the mechanism of the bicycle considerably disarranged. Scattered over quite a space were the contents of an upturned basket. He gathered up the packages, which seemed to contain groceries, and, running the bicycle with one hand, drove it up to his guest.

"I have gathered up those scattered parcels," he said. "It will take about an hour to repair the damage to the machine. I have a tool kit in the house," and he returned with it and a late magazine. The young lady, however, was far more interested watching him at his repairing task than reading.

She seemed to feel it due to him to be companionable, and informed him that she was a guest at Lakeside. She had been headed for a family living near Alden when the accident had occurred—some poor people named Woods, to whom she had been requested to show little kindness during her stay in the vicinity. When the bicycle had been repaired she thanked Muir with grateful ardor, expressing the hope that her future daily missions would not end in disaster.

And there are about 88,000,000 others who should join also!

\$1 pays for a full year's membership. A button and flag will signify you have joined.

Enroll Today!

Will the Universal Roll Call of the American Red Cross.

Dec. 16 to 23

find every member of your family enrolled for 1919?

Present memberships expire December 31st, so the 22,000,000 people who are now members must enroll again.

And there are about 88,000,000 others who should join also!

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Enroll Today!

Will the Universal Roll Call of the American Red Cross.

As the day went on, the bicycle was repaired and the young lady was soon on her way to the station, and before me I stayed there.

Since then I've done a little of everything, until the last two weeks when I settled down to Company clerk work again. I am caught up now and spend my spare moments making souvenirs to send home to my friends.

Sergt. Marshall Davis.

**HANOVER**

Hanover, December 16.—John Bokhoven from Great Lakes spent over Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. A. V. Arnold and children from Brodhead, spent over Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Steigman.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ole Jensen spent Thursday in Beloit.

Walter Garber, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Garber north of Plymouth, passed to the great beyond Sunday morning, his death being caused by pneumonia following the influenza. This makes the second child Mr. and Mrs. Garber have lost with the influenza. They have the deepest sympathy of all who know them.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Egan in Orderville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Beiling assisted with the services near Janesville in toolbox last week.

Miss Florence Jackson is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Belie of Newark.

**PORTER**

Porter, Dec. 16.—Messrs. Cunningham and Sonnenberg of Edgerton were repairing the furnaces in St. Michael's church on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. E. Daniels is on the sick list.

Carpenters from Edgerton have been busy remodeling the barns at the farm of Charles White.

Miss Jessie Daniels spent Monday afternoon at C. W. McCarthy's.

Charles McCarthy has been spending a few days at the home of R. L. Earle.

Mrs. Lucile Earle is busy caring for the two patients in a family at Brooklyn.

Mrs. Fosdahl visited friends at Cooksville on Sunday.

Catherine and Elizabeth Mabie were Edgerton shoppers on Saturday.

**EMERALD GROVE**

Emerald Grove, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Elihu Lloyd left last Tuesday to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Earles.

On Wednesday the West Side Lar-kin club met at the home of Mrs. L. Jones.

A Christmas program will be given at the school here Friday evening at eight o'clock by the pupils under the direction of Miss Grinnell, their teacher. The public is invited to attend.

The Emerald Grove division of the Avalon branch of the Red Cross will meet with Mrs. Harry Jones on Wednesday afternoon of this week. Come prepared to work.

Church services next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, Sunday school immediately following.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will hold their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. F. H. Wutinen on Thursday afternoon at one o'clock sharp. A full attendance is desired, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Armstrong of Jefferson spent the evening with her mother, Mrs. Lester.

**MAGNOLIA**

Magnolia, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Rasmussen received a letter from her son, Allie Peterson, Saturday, dated Nov. 12th, saying he was well. It would seem evident from the letter that he was not wounded the second time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Woodstock in- torted to Beloit, Sunday, to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, Bert Rummel, who died of pneumonia. Mrs. Rummel will be remembered as Miss Gusta Woodstock.

The Helpers' Union sale and supper were a decided success and about seventy dollars was realized. The ladies wish to thank those who helped to make it a success. We are very glad to report that Mrs. Hazel Max- worthy is improving. Her sister, Mrs. Martha Burtress of Fort Dodge, is spending part of this week with her.

Mr. Dunn of Orderville is assisting John Setzer. A C. prayer meeting will be held at the home of Frank Dre- gahl.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Townsend and Miss Eva and Hosen Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Townsend and

**Half-Way House**

By OTILIA FRANCIS PFEIFFER

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**Milton News**

Milton, Dec. 16.—Victor Freeborn, who has just been discharged from the Madison S. A. T. C. unit, visited Milton relatives Friday. He was enroute to his eastern home.

Harold Ballard, who has been ill with pleuro-pneumonia, is on the gain with a good prospect of recover-

ery.

W. J. Davis is confined to the house with illness.

Mrs. Helen Williams is convalescent.

W. P. Marquart is suffering from neuralgia and an infection of the head which causes him great pain.

Sergt. E. R. Cleland of Camp Grant was at home Sunday.

Miss Lois Goodrich, who is teach-

ing at Fairfield, Ill., spent Saturday Read the want ads.

Come to The Big Store Where You Meet Your Friends

**J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.**  
JANESVILLE WISCONSIN

The Big Christmas Store

**Xmas Is Rapidly Approaching**

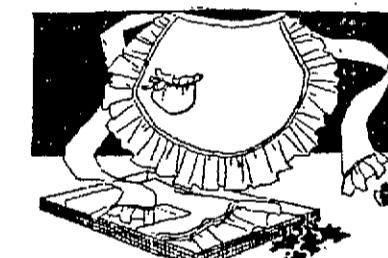
**Only Six More Shopping Days Before Christmas**

**CHRISTMAS eve will be here almost before you know it. If you haven't begun your Christmas shopping, begin now. Don't wait until the last day, because the crowds are biggest and you may be disappointed. No matter how perplexing your Christmas problems are, THE BIG STORE can solve them.**

**Remember that an hour's shopping in the morning is worth two in the afternoon.**

**Shop on a transfer slip. This method will save you much time. Ask clerk for transfer slip.**

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**Hundreds of Organdie and Lawn Aprons, exquisite with dainty lace and bows of ribbon, at**

**35c, 65c, \$1.00 to \$1.50**

**Women's Serving Aprons made of Lawn and Organdie, neatly trimmed in Rick Rack, 35c to 59c**

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**Tub Silk Petticoats in Emerald, Gold, Copen and Purple, at \$3.98**

**Women's Italian Silk Vests in Pink and White, with beading and French band top at**

**\$2.50 AND \$3.00**

**Women's Italian Silk Vest Bodice top with elastic band and also ribbon shoulder strap style \$3.00**

**Women's Italian Silk Union Suits, Pink only, envelope and tight knee style, \$5.00 AND \$5.50**

**Handsome Silk Petticoats**  
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If you select one or two for yourself, you'll be delighted, or if you want them as Xmas gifts, the recipient will be more than pleased.

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**Taffeta Silk Petticoats in plain and changeable colors, beautiful styles at \$5.00 AND \$5.50**

**All Jersey and Jersey Top Petticoats, with fancy silk flounce at \$6.50 AND \$7.50**

**Fancy Novelty Silk Petticoats in Jersey, Mes-**

**saline, etc., beautiful flowered and stripe effects, some trimmed in fringe, many new and**

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**Heatherbloom and Sateen Petticoats in a big assortment of black and colors, also fancy flowered effects, at \$1.75 to \$3.00**

**Coat Sale--Now is your opportunity**

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**Our entire stock of Women's and Misses' Cloth Coats, all this season's styles, made of the new materials and made in the right way. All on sale at ONE-HALF PRICE.**

**GIFTS FOR THE HOME**

Take elevator to our 2nd floor and see the wonderful array of Practical and Useful Gifts.

**RUGS--A "FAMILY" GIFT**

The entire family can join in the purchase of a rug, giving and accepting it as a Christmas present. Here you will find a big assortment of rich and artistic patterns; a wide range of qualities at prices to suit every purse.

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**You Can Save Money On These \$39.50 Special 9x12 Size**

**Cedar Chests**

Genuine Tennessee Red Cedar Chests, fitted with strong hinges, lock and key and casters, regular \$13.75, special this week

**\$11.95**

**Vacuum Sweepers**

We offer the well-known Perkins Combination Vacuum Cleaner and Carpet Sweeper, a reliable, efficient

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## FIRST UNIT OF WOMEN TO BE SENT TO FRANCE BY THE JEWISH WELFARE BOARD



From left to right, Miss Ester Rosenfeldt, Miss Rose Lutsky, Miss Rebecca Affachiner and Miss Mathilda Solomon.

These four young women are the first to be sent overseas by the Jewish Welfare Board. They will sail shortly to help in canteen work in the educational and recreational program undertaken by the welfare agencies for the American expeditionary forces and to minister to the needs of the Jewish soldiers abroad.

The first four volunteers to go are Miss Ester Rosenfeldt of Washington, D. C., Miss Rose Lutsky of Baltimore, Miss Rebecca Affachiner of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss Mathilda Solomon of New York city. One hundred more workers expect to be sent over shortly. Nearly one-half of the \$215,000 sought by the New York campaign for Jewish suffering was at hand before Sunday, when the drive ended. The final report has not yet been made, but it is expected that the drive has gone "over the top" in fine shape.

## The Million Dollar Baby

By Saide Estelle Balcom

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"Myra, you must do exactly as I say or all is lost."

"But, my little one—oh, Arnold! I cannot part with him."

"You must. That is the crux of the entire situation. You will leave here tomorrow, apparently with the child. You must make the perilous journey over the frontier. The child may be taken from you."

Arnold Brooks spoke with a definite seriousness betokening that he meant every word he said. The environment was typical of rule, rough Mexican life. He was in charge of some mining property worked by Mexicans, and since war disturbances had rocked the country these had become indifferent, indifferent and often threatening.

Long since Arnold had felt it unsafe to remain in this hotbed of insurrection, and had decided that sooner or later he must at least get his wife back to safety and civilization. Then the birth of Little Edwin had interrupted.

It was strange, but there was only one person in the whole community to whom Arnold could go for help, and that was Ezra Washington. He was a full-blooded negro. With his wife and family he had accompanied the Brooks family to the mines to perform household service, and had shown such staunch fidelity to the interests of Arnold that the latter had learned to repose perfect confidence in the crude, uncouth fellow and his wife. They had a brood of five children, occupied a cabin near the head-ends, and Arnold felt a certain sense of security in having Ezra around, for the latter was vigilant and kept in close touch with the doings of the Mexicans. It was to the cabin of Ezra that Arnold went after leaving his wife and child. He sought out Ezra, took him to a safe distance from any possible eavesdroppers and faced him squarely.

"Ezra," he said, "you have been a diligent, faithful helper ever since we came to the mines, and when we get back home the company shall know of the fact and compensate you accordingly."

"Don't care for dat foachur, Mr. Brooks," replied Ezra indifferently. "You folks hev been good and kind to me, you and missus is good people, and old Ezra is glad to be honored by bein' in your service, sah."

"Well, there is not a soul here I trust but you, Ezra," proceeded Arnold seriously. "And I am going to repose great confidence in you and ask you to undertake a great responsibility. Things are gettig very serious around here, as you know."

"Gittin' hat, sah, and there's going to be a blow up soon, shuh!"

"I am plannin' to send my wife north and we are all to follow. The baby—"

"The million-dollar baby! Little Edwin, yes, sah," grinned Ezra. "bless his dear little heart! No place here for either of them."

"The million-dollar baby" was no delusion. It was known to Ezra that the wealthy father of Mrs. Brooks had declared right after the birth of the little child, the first in the family for 20 years, that he should make the newcomer his heir. Hence the broad illusion of Ezra.

"You see, Ezra," resumed Arnold, "the advent of the little one and his adoption as heir by my father-in-law has set villainy at work. There is a man, an adopted son of Mr. Adams, whose chances of fortune will be superseded by the child. I have information that he has plotted with some Mexicans down here to kidnap, perhaps kill the child, at least never allow it to leave the country. What would you say if I asked you to ex-

## MANY TALES TOLD OF LAST HOUR OF THE GREAT STRUGGLE

Apparently the Germans did not fully understand what the armistice was meant for, writes one Janesville boy who was with an Illinois National Guard regiment during the closing hours of the great struggle in the first line of the fighting. When the firing stopped, all lighting was to stop at eleven o'clock and were mighty glad but imagine our surprise when the Germans began one of their greatest bombardments, threw down a barrage just as they did when about to make an attack, from nine o'clock on, of course our guns replied and the noise was something terrible. When it was over with now, he was expecting to be in Berlin shortly when the war ended and is well on his way. In his division, he is now in Germany taking over the disputed strip of territory until the actual peace was signed.

William Cushing

Mrs. T. W. Cushing has received a letter from her son, William Cushing, from France, dated November 18th stating he is all right and was on the first line on November 11th when the last shots were fired. He also was in the 32nd division, and writes that he has had enough experience for a life time and is glad it is over with now. He was expecting to be in Berlin shortly when the war ended and is well on his way. In his division, he is now in Germany taking over the disputed strip of territory until the actual peace was signed.

## Imperfect Shooting Laws.

We have federal laws protecting migratory birds during certain periods, and the government has established many reservations for them. But the laws of our various states are conflicting and confusion often results, to the detriment of the birds.

No better illustration of this can be found than with the robin. In the North it is protected all the year around as a songster. It flies to the North early in the spring and is looked after and cared for until late in the fall. It then goes South, where several of the states allow it to be killed, and it is actually sold in the open markets of a number of Southern cities.

But the general attitude of the people toward birds is changing for the better in all the states, South included. We are coming to understand them—North and South—and with better understanding there comes greater encouragement—Pennsylvania Grit.

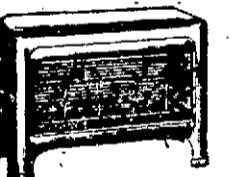
Read the want ads.

February of this year. During the entire summer the 32nd division has been actively engaged on the firing line and Sergeant Horne saw much service. Unless he has made a rapid recovery, he is still in the hospital.



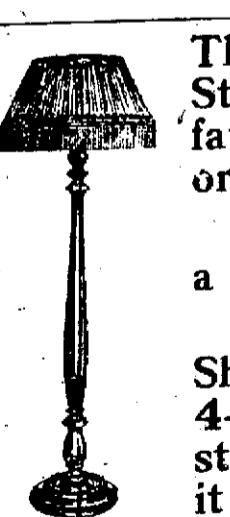
and for only a third of a cent per hour for gas.

## Useful Gifts Increase Household Economy



A Hot Spot Heating Stove will make the room warm and comfortable in a few minutes.

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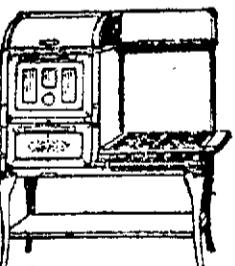
This Mahogany Finish Floor Standard will brighten up your favorite corner in the library or living room.

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Have you seen those with glass doors, oven thermometer and white enamel pans and panels?



Do your reading or sewing in solid comfort under the restful eye-saving light of a Table Lamp.

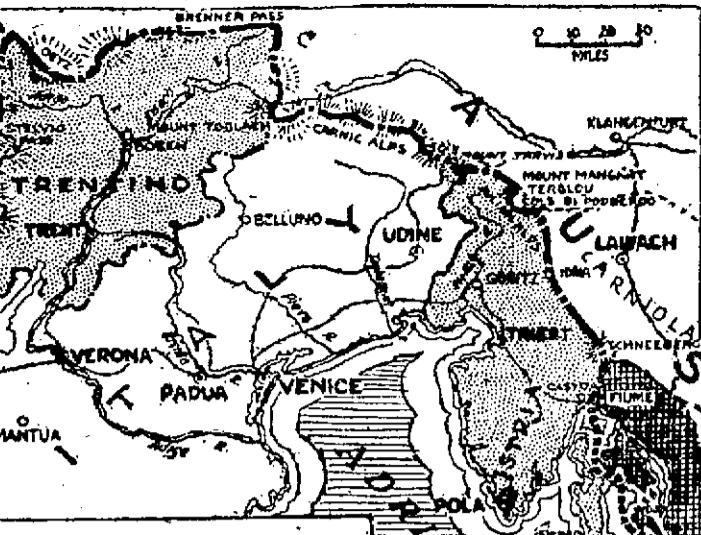
We have a design to harmonize with any style of interior decorating.

Table Lamps with Art Glass or Decorated Shades. Solid Mahogany or Brass Stands.



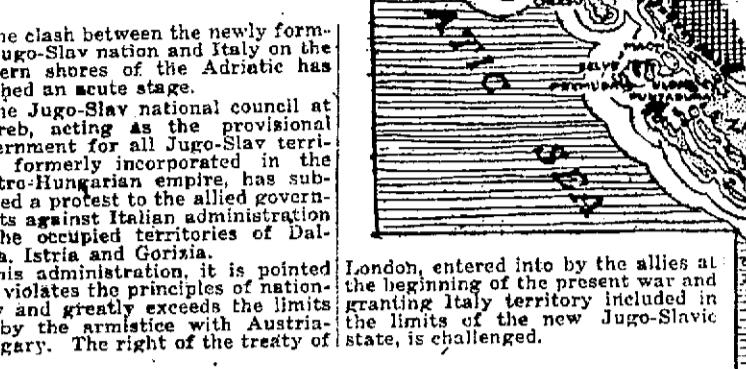
Visit Our Showroom and See the Many Other Practical Gifts On Display, Or Write Or Phone and Our Representative Will Call On You

New Gas Light Co. of Janesville  
Both Phones 113



The accompanying map shows the territory in dispute. The dotted portions give the approximate limits of the territory conceded to Italy by the treaty of London. The cross-lined portions show the additional territory now occupied by Italian forces. This takes in the entire Adriatic littoral to the region south of Aviano, Albania.

Italy claims it is holding the entire coast for military reasons to assure the carrying out of the armistice provisions, but has been insisting upon more comprehensive claims to new territory than outlined in the treaty of London.



The clash between the newly formed Jugo-Slav nation and Italy on the eastern shores of the Adriatic has reached an acute stage. The Jugo-Slav national council at Zagreb, acting as the provisional government for all Jugo-Slav territory formerly incorporated in the Austro-Hungarian empire, has submitted a protest to the allied governments against Italian administration in the occupied territories of Dalmatia, Istria, and Gorizia.

This administration, it is pointed out, violates the principles of nationality and greatly exceeds the limits of Italian territory included in the limits of the new Jugo-Slav state, is challenged.



A. Bruce Bielaski.

Specific details of the astounding propaganda and spy activities of German agents in this country are being given the Senate Judicature Committee by A. Bruce Bielaski, who recently resigned as head of the bureau of investigation.

## EXHIBITS ARE MADE LIFELIKE

Mounting of Natural History Objects  
in Their Native Surroundings  
Add to Their Interest.

In the development of the modern museum three stages have been recognized—that of the collection of objects for record, that of supplying materials for research and that of applying the collections to public education. The educational idea is now being developed by instructive display arrangement, loan exhibits for public and private schools and special lectures. The most notable feature is the mounting of natural history objects in the midst of their native surroundings, and much attention is being given at large museums—such as the American Museum of Natural History of New York—to grouping animals in their natural environment of shrubs, trees, flowers, rocks and other objects. In the new exhibition that of the museum of the California Academy of Sciences, the case for a large mammal or bird habitat group is 25 feet long, 12 deep and 18 high, with a plate glass front 16 feet long and 10 high. Each of the two halls—one devoted entirely to California mammals and the other to California birds—is 180 feet long by 60 wide and 11 of the large cases have been placed in the mammal hall with six in the bird hall. Skylight illumination gives greater brightness in the cases than outside, preventing troublesome reflection from the glass. As a representative group may be taken that of the San Joaquin valley elk, a species of deer now preserved in a few reservations, and this is shown by several individuals standing or crouching in the grass near tree-bordered water, with low hills in the distance, the painted background seeming a continuation of the real scenery.

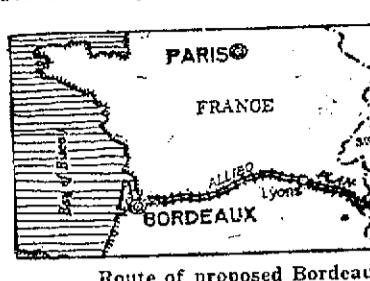
## ON BASIS OF COMPROMISE

Couple's Religious Differences, Which Caused Trouble Once a Year, Settled in Peculiar Manner.

Compromise where political and religious antagonisms are concerned is evidently possible in Belfast, according to the testimony of a recent visitor to that town. One day she had occasion to call at a house where a woman of the Roman Catholic faith had married a Protestant husband. On one side of the mantelshelf was a bust of the pope, on the other a bust of William of Orange. "I suppose you find it very difficult to agree at times?" inquired the visitor. "No," was the ready reply: "we only differ once a year, on the Boyne anniversary, when my husband comes home drunk and swashes my bust of the pope." "Then I suppose you return the compliment by smashing his William of Orange?" "Not at all—I put it in pawn and buy another bust of the pope with the money," was the unexpected answer.—Manchester (Eng.) Guardian.

## ALLIES PLAN RAILROAD FROM BORDEAUX TO ODESSA

Even after victory by the allies, Germany's dream of a Mitteleuropa, the Berlin-Bagdad railroad, it is recognized, would remain an economic advantage to Germany as an artery through which an increasing volume of trade would flow, with the possibility of its use for hidden political advantages.



Route of proposed Bordeaux-Belgrade-Odessa railway.

To prevent this railroad from becoming the dominating link the Germans intended it to be, a Bordeaux-to-Odessa railroad, to provide a land route to Constanti-

nople through southern Europe and to establish an economic tie through newly organized states, is being urged by entente diplomats. What is proposed is a great new

artery of travel in Europe, springing with much significance out of the realization that political ties, unless supported economically, will be unstable. Only a few days ago Jules Cels, French under secretary of public works and transport, said that studies were being made in France for the proposed

## SICK AND WOUNDED PRISONERS ARE ON THEIR WAY HOME



American prisoners on way home.

One term of the armistice called for the immediate release of American and allied prisoners from German camps. The American prisoners are now bound for home.

Many of the prisoners were wounded or sick. Their more fortunate comrades helped them on the journey. The seriously wounded and sick were taken to American base

hospitals until they are able to travel. The photo shows some of the well American prisoners helping their disabled brothers to a base hospital.

Don't Listen.

Other people's opinion of us often is based on the kind of things we let them tell us.

His System.

Van Spenderley—I'd like you to meet my wife, old top. I think that a bold, dashing fellow like you could get her away from me.

Ages.

A woman is as young as she looks when she goes out in the evening; a man as old as he feels when he gets up in the morning.

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GARMENT STORE.What Is More Acceptable  
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In this assortment of attractive coats you find just the one that will please.

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Will Suggest a Useful GiftThe  
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A wonderful line of Pastels, Etchings, Fruits, Carbons, Sepias, Photogravures, etc. Priced 50c to \$20.00.

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We can still do your framing for Christmas.



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Join the Red  
Cross This  
Week

All You Need Is a  
Heart and a Dollar.

## Art Brass

Articles in Art Brass at before the war prices. Jewel Cases, Calendars, Crumb Trays, Letter Scales, Paper Clips, Twine Holders, etc., are useful gifts at little prices.

## Desk Sets

in Brass, Cretonne and Silk. We sell Desk Pads separately and you can make your own selection in ink wells, blotters, knives, etc., to suit any taste.

Candlesticks  
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in Mahogany or White, enamel with Dresden decorations, also in China and Pottery. An acceptable gift at a small cost.

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Beautiful pieces for the din-

ing room table.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES

ALWAYS When you think of ? ? ? ? think of C. T. Rees

RAZORS SHINED—25¢. Freno Bros. HAVE GOT A MAN. Bring in all work. Are ready for it. Paul G. Zahrt, Footville, Wis.

I WILL NOT STAND GOOD for any debts my wife, Florence Culver, contracts from this date, Dec. 15, now on. Arthur Culver.

## LOST AND FOUND

POCKETBOOK—Lost, containing sum of money and also Yale key. Finder leave at Gazette, reward.

ROBE—Lost on N. Pearl St. Brown and white striped robe. Reward, \$1. Phone 320 Red.

## FEMALE HELP WANTED

COOK—Pastry cook. Apply at Myers Hotel.

GIRL—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. J. K. Jensen, 821 Court St.

GIRL—Wanted, experienced girl for housework, no washing. Family of four. Highest wages. Give references. Address "Experienced" Gazette.

MAID—Competent maid for housework. Small house, small family. Mrs. Wheelock, 118 East St.

TWO GIRLS—Same place, housekeepers, private houses, hotels. Mrs. E. McCarthy, licensed. Both phones.

WOMEN—Two good kitchen women and one dining room girl. Good wages. Apply immediately. McDonald's Restaurant.

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FOR FACTORY WORK,  
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WANTED. STEADY WORK.  
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MAN—Wanted married man to work on farm. House, garden and milk furnished. Good wages to experienced man. R. C. phone 5597 K.

MECHANICS—Chance for speedy advancement. Townsend Mfg. Co.

TRIMMER—Wanted, a competent trimmer on automobile and carriages. Good steady job. Address T. Neville & Co., Oshkosh, Wis.

HELP, MALE AND FEMALE

FAMILY—Wanted to strip 18 or 20,000 lbs. of good tobacco. Good house to move into. Good stripping rooms. Inquire J. A. Ryan, 515 N. Pearl St. R. C. phone 659.

## ROOMS FOR RENT

FOUR RENT—Modern front room in steam heated apartment. Private entrance, running hot and cold water. R. C. phone 812 Black, Bell 1412.

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ROOMS—for rent, furnished heated rooms also light housekeeping rooms. 233 N. Washington St.

## ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

KITCHEN—And 2 rooms wanted for light housekeeping. Family of two girls, 4 and 9 years. Inquire Chas. Hell. Park Hotel.

LIVESTOCK AND VEHICLES

BOAR—for sale, Durco Jersey boar 2 years old. Call 83-5 rings.

BOARS—for sale, a few big type Poland China boars. Left also open and bred gilts. Good ones. J. G. Davis, 116 S. city.

ROSES—for sale, western breeding. P. H. Howard, R. C. phone 188.

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CANARY BIRDS—for sale, a few good singers. Can be seen at E. R. Winslow's Grocery, 24 N. Main St.

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English bull puppies, bred from prize winning registered stock, all white. 402 Center Ave., Bell phone 1253.

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WANTED—Names do not appear in the Gazette's Directory or Telephone Directory must send cash with their advertisements.

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—and many a jolly afternoon they had, too, with their aces, and hearts, and jacks, and trumps.

Then the war came!

Brothers, husbands, sons, sweethearts left home to be aces of the air, jacks of the navy or trumps of the American Army.

The afternoon meetings continued—but the scenes changed to Red Cross workrooms. And serious, busy fingers of hundreds of thousands of patriotic American women worked day in and day out to alleviate the suffering of their loved ones, and yours, too, who responded so gallantly to the country's needs.

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